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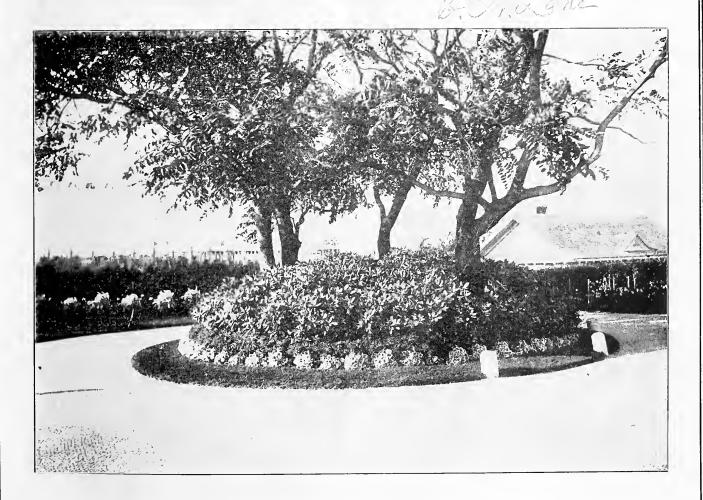


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# Tiger's Trees

Patchogue, Long Island





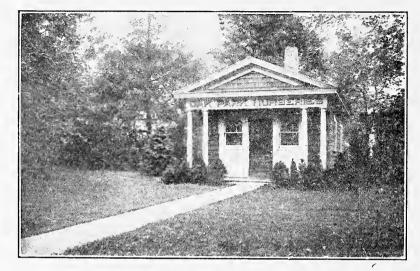
# Oak Park Nurseries

Established 1888



Main Office and Nursery at Patchogue, Long Island







Branch Office and Nursery at East Patchogue, Long Island



MAIN OFFICE OF

# Oak Park Nurseries

PATCHOGUE, LONG ISLAND

# **Evergreen Specialists**

#### Customer:

We take pleasure in handing you our latest descriptive catalogue on Ornamental Trees with sincere thanks for the business you have hitherto entrusted to us and we hope you will favor us again with a continuance of your esteemed orders to which our prompt and careful attention will be given.

Very respectfully,

Oak Park Nurseries,

Patchogue, N. Y.

# Terms and Remarks

Since the Oak Park Nurseries were established in 1888 they have taken on a vigorous growth, adding more acres year after year and spreading out to cover all lines of outdoor decoration. Now we cover a large acreage superbly stocked with a most complete collection of Nursery Specialties.

#### CATALOGUES

Our catalogues are printed with both Botanical and English names as far as it is possible. A complete description is given to each plant excepting Fruit, Roses and Hardy Perennials which may be had on application.

#### VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

DIRECT DEALING. We employ no soliciting agents. When purchasers can visit our nurseries to personally inspect and select the stock desired we are pleased to show them over the grounds, as a much better idea of our stock can be obtained in this way than the most explicit catalogue, as in the case of Ornamentals. We are confident that the customer in search of trees cannot do better than to visit our nurseries.

REPUTATION is nowhere of such inestimable value as in the nursery business, and our ambition is to do clean dealing, satisfactory alike to ourselves and customers. Such a reputation in the past has enabled us to win the confidence of an increased number of customers who favor us with their orders year after year, not because our prices are lower for the same quality of Stock, but because they realize it is more important to get good trees at a fair saving in first cost.

GREAT ADVANTAGES are obtained by the purchaser, due to the fact that we give special attention to the culture of trees and evergreens that will succeed best in this climate. It is an undisputed fact that trees cultivated and grown here are acclimated, and readily show much better growth than those taken from the interior.

#### **ORDERS**

Orders should always be placed early, before assortments are broken, as it is often impossible to procure varieties wanted if orders are delayed until time for planting, which is generally the case in the late Spring. When spring planting is preferred, we will book orders in the fall and retain such stock for shipment when desired.

WHEN ORDERING write the name, size and quantity of each variety, so as to avoid errors.

INFORMATION will be furnished correspondents in regard to planting, by mail, if so desired.

DELIVERIES AND SHIPMENTS. All orders are filled as booked. We reserve the right to forward orders by motor trucks, wagons or railroad as we may see fit.

SPECIAL QUOTATIONS. We are pleased to estimate on all orders, large or small. Prices in this catalogue are for medium size stock, well branched and grown systematically.

#### **TERMS**

If our prices on any article appear higher than those of some competitors, be assured that they are only enough to compensate for the superiority of the quality that we expect to give every purchaser. Life is too short to squander in nursing sickly trees of worthless varieties.

OUR TERMS are net cash, or satisfactory reference, from unknown correspondents.

CLAIMS. All claims for errors and deficiencies must be made within ten days after the receipt of the stock. We desire to be notified of mistakes as early as possible, so that we may rectify the same without delay.

CORRESPONDENCE is invited from all who are interested in planting either large or small quantities.

CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION as to the health and freedom from disease and injurious insect pests accompanies each shipment.

WE DO NOT GUARANTEE our trees to grow under all climatic or soil conditions, or replace stock, or make deductions on plants that are neglected by purchasers. The success of a tree depends upon the treatment it receives, and after they leave our hands, our responsibility ceases, unless by previous arrangements.

Address all correspondence to The Oak Park Nurseries and not to individuals.

OAK PARK NURSERIES,

# The Correct Way to Plant Small or Large Trees



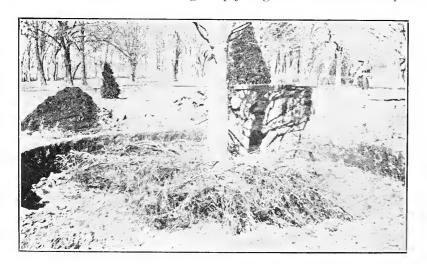
THE first operation is the digging which should start considerably away from the stump or base to insure getting all the fibrous roots This trench should be deep enough to allow undermining, and after sufficient earth has been removed, then with the use of forks the top dirt should be broken down and the fibers cleaned out and tied back out of the way. This operation should be repeated as often as necessary until the tree is entirely free. (Don't try to pull the tree over before all the roots are cut because it will destroy all the fibers which lay underneath the stump.) After you

have completed the work thus far, the tree is allowed to fall gently to one side and the wide spreading top tied or strapped in to allow an easy transportation on the highways.

THE second operation is the loading and transportation which can be done in a number of ways, but in the case of loading on wagon, or motor, the trunk of the tree should be wrapped in burlap or bound in straw; this oftentimes saves the trunk from severe markings; the same precaution should be taken when unloading.

THE third operation is the planting, which should be done with considerable care, as this operation means more to the tree and often by careless work the tree is left to die.

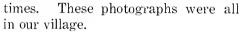
First the hole should be dug amply large and if the soil is poor or sandy good top soil should be sub-



stituted. (We might say that the holes should be prepared in advance of the delivery of the trees when possible as the trees will be less exposed to weather.) Now that the hole is ready to receive the tree, which may be a large one like illustrated, guy ropes should be placed to raise and straighten it. All roots should be layed out smooth and spread around equally. Then the filling should commence and if water is handy it should be applied sufficiently to settle the new earth. If no water is to be had the earth should be packed well with a pounder.

THE fourth operation is the proper staying with wire against winds and frost which often make a tree lean to one side.

When filled in, the earth should not be piled up around the trunk as is so often the case. It should be left level, or better, make a saucer to catch the water instead of draining it off. Manure is a good mulch and should be applied four or five inches thick. Grass should not be allowed to grow under the tree for one year after planting. The tree would be much better if grass is kept away from the trunk at all





These photographs were all taken last Spring, while we were moving large specimens



# ORNAMENTAL DECIDUOUS TREES

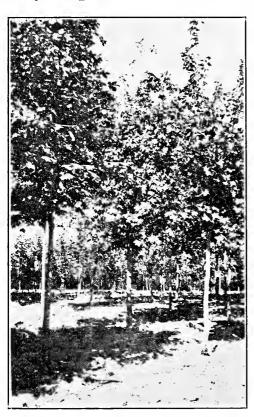
For Lawn and Landscape. A leading specialty with the Oak Park Nurseries has been the cultivation of hardy Ornamentals. Our soil being particularly well adapted to their growth, the trees have been grown under a thorough, clean system of cultivation, assuring an abundance of fibrous roots. Our long experience in growing, handling and packing all stock of this class gives us confidence in our ability to please the most critical buyers,

The uses of trees are manifold. They furnish the masses of foliage which frame, and divide, and partly make up the views of landscape or lawn, screen unsightly objects, enhance the beauty of buildings, cool the atmosphere, and furnish shade and shelter.

Large specimen trees of many varieties can be furnished at advanced rates. We have many superb specimens that must be seen to be appreciated.

#### Acer—The Maples

Maples are planted more largely, perhaps, than any other tree. They are healthy, attractive and vigorous growers. Their shade is cool and dense, and for this they are indispensable in all lawn, park and avenue planting. In autumn the brilliant coloring of their foliage is everywhere the subject of pleasing and favorable comment.



Acer Platanoides or Norway Maples

are without a doubt the most desirable for shade and street plantings. This photograph was taken last summer in our nurseries and shows a portion of the big stock we have on hand. Sizes range in block of 1500 maples 14 to 16 feet high with a diameter 3 to 4 inches, recently transplanted 6 and 8 feet apart so as to allow room for the development of their tops. We can also supply the same size in other varieties.

- A. Dasycarpum—Silver Maple. This tree forms a large spreading head, is of quicker growth than most trees, and where immediate shade is desired is valuable. Has fine leaves which are silvery beneath. 40c to \$12.00 up.
- A. Var. Wierii Laciniatum—Wier's Cut-Leaved Silver Maple. This beautiful specimen has delicately cut leaves and is of distinct, half-drooping habit. The foliage is abundant, silvery underneath. It ranks among the most interesting and attractive lawn trees. May be easily adapted to small places by occasional cutting back, which it will bear to any degree necessary. Of noble proportions if left undisturbed. Prices \$1.00 to \$12.00 up.
- A. Var. Negundo—Ash-Leaved Maple, Box Elder. This fine variety is readily distinguished by its pinnate leaves and greenish bark In the west it grows rapidly into a large spreading tree, and is valuable for planting timber claims, shelter belts, etc. Along the Schuylkill, near Philadelphia, some grand specimens may be seen. Prices from 75c to \$10.00 up.
- A. Platanoides—Norway Maple. Its compact habit and stout, vigorous growth renders this species one of the most desirable for the street, park or garden. The tree is large, handsome, of spreading rounded form, with broad, deep green, shining foliage. Prices 75c to \$10.00 up.
- A. Var. Reitenbachi—Purple Maple. An excellent and striking variety of pyramidal habit; foliage beautiful green in early spring, changing to a decided purple towards midsummer, purplish scarlet in autumn. Prices from \$1.00 to \$8.00 up.
- A. Var. Schwedleri—Purple Maple. The beautiful leaves of this purple Norway maple command universal attention at all seasons, but are especially fine in the spring, when their brilliant red and purple, contrast strongly with the delicate green of other trees. They are purplish green in midsummer and golden yellow in autumn. Prices \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.
- A. Pseudo-Platanus—European Sycamore Maple. A handsome tree of rapid, upright growth, with large foliage, casting a cool, dense shade, and smooth, ash-gray colored bark. Prices 75c to \$10.00 up.
- A. Rubram—Red or Scarlet Maple. This species is of medium size, with rounded head; produces deep red blossoms which appear before the leaves. Foliage changes to brilliant scarlet in autumn, rendering the tree very conspicuous. In the South the seed pods assume gorgeous tints. Prices from \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.
- A. Saccharinum—Sugar or Rock Maple. A well-known native tree of elegant pyramidal form; valuable both for the production of sugar

and for its wood; its stately growth, fine form and foliage of rich autumn tints of clear yellow and scarlet, make it desirable as an ornamental and shade tree. Especially valuable for avenue planting. Prices from \$1.00 to \$15.00 up.

#### Japanese Maples

The Japan Maples represent the highest development of complex, vivid beauty in hardy trees and shrubs. They are small and bush-like in growth, with leaves delicately cut and oddly formed

#### JAPANESE MAPLES-CONTINUED

or brightly colored. After carefully testing the long list of varieties, we are fully convinced that those named below constitute the cream of the collection.

- A. Japonicum Aureum. Very dwarf and compact, and one of the hardiest and best. Foliage broad and, a large part of the summer, a vivid golden yellow. Prices \$1.75 to \$10.00 up.
- A. Polymorphum-Japan Maple. This is the common form or type. It has small, deeply lobed leaves of a coppery green. It is the parent form of many of the Japanese maples in cultivation. Planted as a single tree on the lawn it is most desirable, as its feathery green leaves give it a most distinctive appearance. Prices from \$1.00 to \$9.00 up.
- A. Var. Atropurpureum—Dark Purple-Leaved Japan Maple. Forms a bushy shrub; foliage dark purple and deeply cut; very ornamental. It is altogether the hardiest and best of the Japan maples. One of the choicest of small trees. Prices from \$1.50 to \$15.00 up.
- A. Var. Dissectum Purpurpeum—Cut-Leaved Purple Japan Maple. A very striking and handsome variety of the Japan maples. Form is dwarf and weeping, and leaves are a beautiful rose color when young, changing to a deep and lasting purple as they become older. The elegant fern-like appearance of the leaves is due to their being deeply and delicately cut. A beautiful and attractive lawn tree, and also useful for conservatory decoration in spring. Prices are \$3.00 to \$15.00 up.
- A. Var. Filicifolium—Deeply Cut Green Leaf. A very attractive and decorative tree. Prices average from \$2.00 to \$5.00 up.
- A. Var. Sanguineum—Blood-Leaved Japan Maple. Of dwarf and rounded form; foliage five-lobed and serrated reddish crimson in June. This is a charming variety. Prices \$1.50 to \$10.00 up.
- A. Scolopendrifolium Rubrum. The foliage of this variety is open and of red color, which makes this an attractive tree for many purposes. Prices from \$2.00 to \$15,00 up.

#### Aesculus—Horse Chestnut

The Horse Chestnuts have an elegant pyramidal habit, deeply lobed leaves, and showy, upright panicles of flowers in white or red. They are hardy and vigorous and among the first trees to unfold their leaves in the spring. Rusts at seashore.

- AE. Hippocastanum-European White-Flowered Horse Chestnut. As a specimen flowering tree this variety has no superior. It is a large tree of regular outline, and in May it is spangled with great, upright spikes of white and red flowers. Prices from \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.
- AE. Var. Rubicunda—Red Flowered Horse Chestnut. This is one of the finest trees in cultivation; form round; flowers showy red; blooms a little latter than the white, and the leaves are of a deeper green. A pleasing contrast is obtained when the white and this are planted together. A most valuable ornamental tree. Prices \$1.25 to \$10.00 up.
- AE. Var. Rubicunda Flora Plena—Double Red-Flowered Horse Chestnut. A grafted species bearing beautiful double red flowers. Not as strong as the other varieties. Prices from \$2.50 to \$5.00.

#### Ailanthus—Chinese Sumach

A. Glandulosa—Tree of Heaven. This splendid variety, from Japan, is rapid growing, lofty, and has long, elegant feathery foliage. It is exempt from all diseases and insects. It is very useful in producing tropical effects. A very distinct ornamental tree. Prices from 50c to \$2.50.

#### Aralia-Angelica Tree

These are very small trees, with very large, finely defined foliage, and showy heads of creamwhite flowers. They are very useful in sub-tropical gardening, or for forming showy, odd-looking clumps.

- A. Japonica. This is a dwarf spreading tree with prickly stems and large tripinnate leaves, crowned by immense clusters of beautiful flowers in July. It is the showiest of the family. Prices 75c to \$1.50.
- A. Spinosa—Hercules Club. Vigorous in growth, very showy, with its broad, handsomely cut leaves and immense clusters of white flowers. Used for tropical effects with other shrubs and low trees, a most unique and handsome effect being produced in winter. Prices 75c to \$2.00.

#### Betula-Birch

The Birches are distinguished for their elegant, graceful appearance. All are attractive, whether upright or weeping forms. The shades of bark, outline of foliage, etc., are so varied and ornamental that they are generally used for ornamental landscape work.

- B. Alba European White Birch. This variety is quite erect when young, but its branches begin to droop gracefully with age. Its bark is snow white, which renders it at once impressive and attractive. Prices from 60c to \$10.00 up.
- B. Var. Atropurpurea. This beautiful tree has the same general character as the above, but is clothed with rich purple foliage. Nothing could be finer for producing contrasts for which it is specially adapted. Prices \$1.00 to \$4.00.

#### BETULA-Birch-CONTINUED

- B. Var. Fastigiata—Pyramidal Birch. In landscape work this species is almost as desinable as the Lombardy Poylar. It is very beautiful and effective, and is of tall columner habit. Prices are \$1.00 to \$3.00.
- B. Var. Pendula Laciniata—Cut-Leaved Weeping White Birch. Many attractive characteristics combine to make this a tree of wonderful grace and beauty. Tall, slender, vigorous, with slender branches in drooping festoons of delicately cut leaves but half concealing the white upright trunk. It colors brilliantly in fall, and makes a beautiful white winter picture if planted against evergreens. Prices from \$1.25 to \$5-00.
- B. Lenta—Black or Cherry Birch. A native tree, rather large, with fine grained, valuable wood; dark brown on the trunk and bronze-reddish twigs; very aromatic; leaves somewhat heart-shaped. Price 60c to \$5.00.
- B. Nigra—Red Birch. Distinguished by its shaggy red bark. Does best in damp soil. A bit broadly pyramidal, foliage glossy. Prices from 60c to \$5.00.
- B. Populifolia—American White Birch. A small, rapid growing, short-lived tree, thriving in very poor soil. Bark white and conspicuous in Winter. Prices are 75c to \$20.00.
- B. Pendula Youngii. A tree of most grotesque and striking irregular form and of distinctly pendulous habit. White bark. Prices are from \$1.00 to \$5.00 up.

#### Catalpa-Italian Bean

These are effective, tropical-looking lawn trees that flower showily in July, when few other trees are in bloom. The large foliage and long panicles of white or mottled flowers, as well as their rapid growth, have caused them to be very popular with planters. Good for the seashore.

C. Bungei—Chinese Catalpa. This dwarf species is from China. Foliage is large and glossy; not a free bloomer. Top-grafted on tall stems it makes an effective umbrella-shaped tree. Its usual height is from three to five feet. It is hardy and strong growing. Prices are from \$1.00 to \$6.00 up.



An ideal drive of Catalpa Bungei furnished by the Oak Park Nurseries

C. Speciosa—Western Catalpa. This is also a fine hardy variety, well adapted for forest and ornamental planting. Blooms earlier than the other varieties. Its soft, coarse-grained wood is very durable and is used extensively for fence posts, railroad ties, etc. Prices range from 50c to \$5.00 up.



Western Catalpa or Catalpa Speciosa

#### Cerasus—Cherry

These small flowering trees are by no means sufficiently appreciated. In their season of bloom they are covered with a huge mass of daintily formed flowers, at once beautiful and most pleasing to the eye.

- C. Avium, var, Alba Flore Pleno-Double White-flowering Cherry. The branches of this beautiful small tree are completely hidden in May with its mass of large, double white flowers. Prices \$1.15 to \$5.00 up.
- C. Japonica. This is the well-known ornamental cherry of Japan, where it is variously cultivated, many of them full double. There is no handsomer flowering specimen tree grown. All our trees are top-grafted on tall stems; this permits the bloom-wreathed branches to form a drooping crown of exquisite beauty. Prices are 50c to \$5.00 up.
- C. var. Rosea Pendula—Japan Weeping Rose-flowered Cherry. One of the most interesting and beautiful of weeping trees. Entirely enveloped at time of blooming with rose-tinted blossoms, and retains a graceful and symmetrical habit, as well as being favored with handsome foliage, which gives it merit when not in bloom. Beautiful everywhere. Prices from 80c to \$6,00 up.
  - C. Serotina-Wild Cherry. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$4.00 up.

#### Cercis-Red Bud

American Judas, the only recommendable and reliable species attaining the size of a tree, is described below. The leaflet branches and twigs of this tree are clothed in a thick mist of delicate, deep pink flowers. Planted on the lawn an exquisite effect is produced.

- C. Canadensis. A very ornamental native tree, of irregular rounded form, with perfect heart-shaped leaves of a pure green color, glossy above and grayish green beneath. It derives the name of Red Bud from the profusion of flowers with which it is covered before the leaves appear. It is valuable for growing with the dogwoods and magnolias, producing fine effects. It is not less beautiful grown as a single specimen. Prices 35c to \$2.50 up.
- C. Japonica—Japan Judas Tree. This variety, too, is of medium size and rounded form; foliage is deep, shining green and heart-shaped; flowers are larger than those of the above, and of a reddish purple color. Choice and valuable. Prices are 50c to \$1.50.

#### Chionanthus—Fringe Tree

Small tree with very beautiful fringe-like flowers, followed by deep purplish fruit shaped like an olive. An exquisite adornment for either large or small lawn.

C. Virginica-White Fringe. Prices are from 50c to \$2.00.

#### ORNAMENTAL DECIDUOUS TREES-CONTINUED

#### Cornus-Dogwood

Natives of our own forests. The small trees are of inestimable value in landscape work and for planting in quantity with shrubs and other trees for screens.

- C. Florida—White-flowering Dogwood. The great white flowers are three inches or more in width, lasting, in favorable weather, as many weeks.

  Besides these fine characteristics the bright red bark on its young growth makes it attractive and cheery in winter.

  Blooms while small. Prices 40c to \$2.00.
- C. Florida var. Flore Rubro. A new and rare variety, with handsome red flowers displayed at an even earlier age than those of the White Dogwood. The two sorts are beautiful for contrasts. Prices from 75c. to \$5.00 up.
- C. Florida Pendula-Weeping Dogwood. A variety of considerable value, with decidedly drooping branches. Prices \$1.50 to \$4.00.

#### Crataegus—Thorn

Mostly small trees and generally hardy at the North. Flowers are mostly white or pink, followed by fruits that are quite ornamental when ripe.

- C. Oxycantha, var. Alba Flore Pleno—Double White Hawthorn. When in bloom a mass of clustered, double, rose-like blossoms. Very handsome. Prices are 50c to \$4.00 up.
- C. var. Coccinea Flore Pleno-Paul's Double Scarlet Thorn. Of quick growth, showy, new, and perhaps the best sort. The large, perfectly double flowers are a rich, glowing crimson. Prices from 50c to \$5.00 up.



The Copper Beeches shown in this photograph were dug in early September, while the foliage was still on. The moving of these trees was accomplished by the use of our latest type canvas, which, when strapped around the roots, takes an abundant amount of earth, which assures the life of the tree. In July of last year we moved, while in full leaf, fifty American Linden in the same way without the loss of a single tree. We have also planted large maples out of season with the same success. Early Fall and Summer plantings have advanced thirty per cent in the past year owing to the confidence of our customers who entrust their landscape work to us.

- C. var. Rosea Flore Pleno—Double Pink Hawthorn. Has the English Hawthorn's fine habit and fragrance. Pretty rose-colored blooms. Prices are from 50c to \$4.00 up.
- C. Gruss Galli—Cockspur Thorn. A widely distributed native variety with very long and extremely sharp spines. Fruit abundant and bright red. Makes a good hedge. Prices 50c to \$3.00 up.

#### Cytisus-Golden Chain

C. Laburnum—Golden Chain of the Germans. This charming small tree takes its familiar name from the long racemes of golden yellow flowers with which it is radiant in June. It is of picturesquely irregular growth, and has glossy pinnate leaves. Prefers a somewhat sheltered situation. Prices from 60c to \$1.75.

#### Fagus-Beech

These are hardwood trees of slow growth, and the most attractive ornamental tree for landscape gardening. Hardy and seldom attacked by insects. The deep, dark red leaves of the purple variety, the delicately-cut foliage of the fern-leaved, and the grotesqueness of the weeping varieties merit their general use.

- F. Ferruginea American Beech. Our noble native forest tree, with silvery bark, fine spreading growth and symmetrical head. Especially attractive in spring with the tender, delicate green of its leaves and pendant flowers. Pure yellow in the fall. Prices \$1.00 to \$8.00 up.
- F. Sylvatica—English Beech. Slower growing, more compact, with larger foliage that clings through winter. Value 22 00 to 28 00 up.

able for specimens, grouping and for screens. Prices from \$1.00 to \$8.00 up.

F. var. Sylvatica Pendula—Weeping Beech. Medium size, very irregular and eccentric in form, rich foliage piled in masses, and branches tossed into the most grotesque shapes. This is the most ornamental of deciduous weeping trees. Prices are \$1.50 to \$10.00 up.

F. var. Heterophylla Fern-leaved Beech. An elegant dwarf variety of the English beech, with delicate cut leaves and slender drooping young shoots that give it a singularly airy and graceful wavy aspect. Prices \$2.25 to \$25.00 up.

F. var. Lacinata Asplenifolia—Cut-leaved Beech. Cone shaped, compact and of medium growth; peculiar airy outline from small cut-leaved foliage. One of the choicest of deciduous trees. Prices are from \$2.25 to \$25.00 up.

F. var. Purpurea—Purple or Copper Beech. A vigorous, elegant tree, reaching forty to fifty feet in height, with foliage changing from deep purple in spring, through crimson in summer, to purplish green in fall. Hardy, long-lived, free from insect pests and useful for specimens. Prices from \$1.00 to \$20.00 up.

F. Var, Purpurea River's Blood-leaved Beech. Where a large tree with purple foliage is wanted, nothing equals this. It is generally conceded to be the finest of all purple leaved trees. Though it varies in intensity of color from early spring until late fall, the leaves are always a rich shade. Prices from \$1.00 to \$20.00.

F. var. Purpurea Pendula-A genuine and pronounced weeping form of the Purple Beech. A rare and beautiful tree, with dark foliage and pendulous trailing branches. Prices from \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.

#### ORNAMENTAL DECIDUOUS TREES-CONTINUED

#### Fraxinus-Ash

All deciduous, and of medium or large size. After thoroughly testing most of these we have discarded nearly all, chiefly on account of the borer.

- F. Americana—American White Ash. Our forest tree, tallest of the species, with straight, clean trunk, smooth, gray bark and glossy leaves. Useful for parks, streets or large grounds. Will thrive where F. Europea languishes. Prices are 75c to \$8.00 up.
- F. Ornus—Flowering Ash. Small and neat growing, with terminal panicles of fringe-like, greenish white flowers in May or June. Prices are from \$1.00 to \$2.50 up.
  - F. Sorbus Americana-Mountain Ash. Prices 50c to \$5,00 up.

#### Gleditschia-Honey Locust

Gleditschia-Three-Thorned Honey Locust. A large, vigorous tree with wide-spreading branches, feathery, fern like leaves and a stout armament of thorns. Makes a fine defensive hedge.

Gleditschia Triacanthos. Prices from 30c to \$1,50.

Gleditschia Robinia - Black or Yellow Locust.

Gleditschia Pseudacaci - Common Locust. Prices \$1.50 to \$5.00 up.

#### Ginkgo

G. Salisburia-Maiden Hair Tree. Professor Sargent says the Ginkgo is perhaps the most beautiful, and it is certainly the most interesting tree to be seen in Japan.

G. S. Adiantifolia—Maiden Hair Fern Tree. A distinguished tree, of columnar growth when young, spreading into an odd, sketchy outline as it attains age. Its thick, leathery leaves are clean cut and shaped like the leaves of the Maiden Hair Fern. As yet it is quite rare, and while it is robust enough to endure general city planting, its odd and striking appearance, as well as its habit of growth, make it very desirable. It has no insect or fungus enemies and grows very rapidly. Prices from 75c to \$5.00 up,

#### Halesia

H. Tetraptera-Snowdrop or Silver Bell Tree. A neat and pretty little tree, with large, dark green leaves. In May, while the leaves are yet small, its branches are hung thickly with small white or pinkish drooping bells about one inch long. These are followed by large and curiously winged seeds. Prices are 35c to \$1.00.

#### Larix—Larch

L. Europea—European Larch. A tall and handsome deciduous, cone-bearing tree. Particularly beautiful in early spring, when covered with soft, feathery foliage. Its foliage and drooping twigs give it a very graceful appearance. The autumn effect is very fine, the foliage turning a brilliant yellow, making the tree look like a huge fountain of gold. From a practical standpoint it is a good tree to plant. Should be planted in fall or very early spring 40c to \$5.00 up.

L. Kaemferi-Japan Larch. Foliage light green, turning a fine yellow in fall. Prices are from \$2.50 to \$3.50.

#### Liquid Amber—Sweet Gum

L. Styraciflua. Medium trees, with curious star-shaped leaves and rough, corky bark both on main stem and branches. Prices 75c to \$8.00 up.

#### Lidiodendron—Tulip Tree

L. Tulipifera. The Tulip is a native of North America and is a tree of exceptional beauty. Its clean smooth bark and foliage gives it a mark of distinction which is very individual. At maturity the tree flowers freely in the month of June. Prices from 75c to \$10.00 up.

#### Magnolia

Their lavish profusion of large and beautiful flowers, their fragrance, richness of foliage and stately, tropical aspect, place the Magnolias among the finest of the flowering trees. We cannot say too much in their favor. They should be transplanted only in spring.

- M. Alexandriana. This is one of the Hybrid Magnolias whose growth is very bushy and forms into a small tree. The flowers are very large, pink in color and come out in great profusion during the months of April and May. Prices \$1.00 to \$20.00 up.
- M. Acuminata—Cucumber Magnolia. The tallest of all the native species, growing rapidly into a fine pyramidal tree sixty to ninety feet high. In midsummer large creamy white blossoms appear among its deep-green leaves, and large cucumber-shaped fruits that turn bright crimson succeed them. A grand avenue tree. Yellow in fall. Price are 50c to \$10.00 up.
- M. Conspicua—Chinese White Magnolia A choice, showy species, shrub-like when young, but gradually forming a medium sized tree. Its superb white flowers appear thickly in April and form a conspicuous handsome ornament to the lawn. Prices \$2.75 to \$10.00.
- M. Lennei, A hybrid variety of great beauty. The large flowers are of a deep rose-color, the foliage tropical and heavy, and the tree vigorous and profuse-blooming, opening grand flowers at intervals through the summer. Prices from \$1.25 to \$5.00 up.
- M. Purpurea. (M. Obvata.) Of dwarf habit; very showy in May and June, when its great purple flowers are open. Prices 75c to \$5.00 up.
- M. Soulangeana Soulange's Magnolia. One of the hardiest and finest Magnolias, resembling Conspicua in flower and habit. Its blossoms are from three to five inches across, cup-shaped, white and rosy-violet, opening a little later than Conspicua yet before its leaves, which are massive and glossy. Prices are \$1.00 to \$15.00 up.

#### MAGNOLIA-CONTINUED

- M. Speciosa—Showy-Flowered Magnolia. The flowers of this species are a trifle smaller and lighter colored than Soulangeana's; they open about a week later and remain perfect on the tree longer than those of any other Chinese Magnolia. Very hardy. Prices from \$1.00 to \$6.00 up.
- M. Stellata Hall's Japan Magnolia. A beautiful dwarf plant of great value: pure white, semi-double flowers much earlier than the other sorts. Prices are from \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.
- M. Tripetela-Umbrella Tree. This native is named from the whorled arrangement of its great glossy leaves. The white flowers, also of great size, open in June and are followed by rose-colored fruit-cones. Prices 75c to \$8.00 up.

#### Paulownia--Empress Tree

P. Imperialis. A native of China, but cultivated in Japanese gardens. Leaves very large, frequently measuring fifteen inches across, if cut back every year as in tropical bedding. Hardy in this climate. Prices 75c to \$5.00 up.

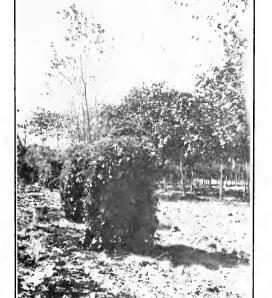
#### Morus Mulberry

M. Alba, var. Tartarica Pendula—Tea's Weeping Mulberry. We especially recommend this as one of the thriftiest, hardiest, and most beautiful of weeping trees. It transplants easily and is appropriate for both large and

small places. The leaves are lustrous, distinctly lobed; the branches, slender and willowy, forming a tall, narrow, green tent of dense shade. Prices from \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.

M. Downing's—Downing's Mulberry. Especially valuable on

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Tea's Weeping Mulberry, as grown at our nurseries. We have a great supply of large and small trees that are real ornaments

#### Platanus—Plane Tree

The Plane or Buttonwood Tree is among the best known trees in this country. It is a rapid grower, thriving in light or heavy soil and will withstand the salt air and heavy winds at the seashore with amazing success. There are several kinds of Plane tree, but the two best varieties are the Oriental Plane and the American Buttonwood. The bark of these two varieties are about the same. The large white patches which cover the trunk and lower branches of the tree, make their appearance very spectacular. They are excellent for street or individual planting. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.

#### Populus—Poplar

The Poplars are very rapid growing trees. They are effective and cheap, and withstand fairly well the smoke and gases of a city. Where quick screens are wanted Poplars are much used.

- P. Bolleana—Bolle's Poplar. Very erect grower, resembling the Italian Poplar. Leaves are silver beneath. Prices 75c to \$5.00 up.
- P. Nigra, var. Italica (P. Fastigiata)—Lombardy or Italian Poplar. Of obelisk form, growing rapidly to extravagant heights.

Forms striking lawn groups; is much used at Newport for tall screen hedges. Always makes a striking feature in any landscape. Prices from 75c to \$3.00 up.

P. Monilifera—Carolina Poplar. Unexcelled for quick growth and effect, its rapid growth giving an air of luxuriance to places where other trees appear starved. Showy and cheery from the constant movement of its glossy, silverlined leaves, yet always casting a dense, cool shade. If well pruned back during the first few seasons it makes a strong, durable tree. Is yearly planted in great numbers and is one of the most popular street trees. In some cities it is planted almost exclusively when opening new streets in residence sections. Prices 50c to \$3.00 up.

#### Prunus—Plum

- P. Pissardi—Purple-leaved Plum. A distinct and handsome little tree, covered with a mass of small white single flowers in spring; and later, pinkish purple leaves that deepen in color at the end of the season. Valuable for ornamental hedges or planting in quantity for contrast. It is perfectly hardy wherever the common plum will stand, and is a unique and beautiful ornament to the lawn at all times of the year. One of the most valuable of the flowering trees. Prices 60c to \$2.50 up.
  - P. Triloba Flowering Plum. Prices 60c to \$1.25

#### ORNAMENTAL DECIDUOUS TREES CONTINUED

#### Pyrus-Flowering Crab

The Flowering Crabs are hardy, handsome little trees, fragrant in early spring with clusters of exquisite buds and flowers. The single sorts also bear crops of bright, cherry-like fruits.

P. Augustifolia, var. Bechteli-Most beautiful of all the fine varieties of Flowering Crabs. At a distance the pretty, medium-sized tree seems to be covered with dainty little roses of a delicate pink color. Blooms when quite young.

very fragrant. Prices \$2.50 to \$5.00 up

P. Parkmani (P. Halliana) -- Parkman's Double-Flowering Crab. An elegant Japanese dwarf, with long-stemmed r. rarkman (r. namana)—rarkman s Double-Flowering Grab. An elegant Japanese dwarf, with long-stemmed semi-double flowers of deep rose-color wreathing its branches. It makes a fine, compact growth, and its deep green leaves are retained quite late. The buds are long, and handsome. Prices are \$2.25 to \$5.00 up.

P. Rosea fl. pl. Double, fragrant, lose-colored flowers nearly two inches in diameter. Distinct, beautiful and deservedly popular. Prices from \$2 25 to \$5.00 up.

#### Ouercus—Oak

One of the most valuable trees in the entire list. The several varieties are not only valued for their timber in forest planting, but also for parks and lawns of every description.

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Q. Alba—White Oak. Grandest of its genus and of our American trees. A spreading, towering species, with rugged, massive trunk and branches. The deeply lobed leaves change to dark crimson in fall. Prices 75c to \$5.00 up.

Q. Cerris—Turkey Oak. Of great value for lawn or street planting. Fast growing, with deeply-cut leaves which turn brown in the fall and cling to the tree during winter. Prices are \$1.00 to \$8.00.

Q. Coccinea—Scarlet Oak. A grand round-topped tree, with bright green, deeply-cut leaves that color to sparkling red in the fall. Prices 75c to \$5.00 up.

Q. Pedunculata, var. Fastigiata—Pyramidal Oak. A distinct handsome form, with upright branches forming a narrow columnar head. Green until late in fall. Prices from \$1.50 to \$4.00 up.

Q. Palustris—The beautiful Pin Oak. Almost pyramidal in habit, and sometimes described as half-weeping when old, because its lower branches touch the ground. It grows faster and develops the family characteristics earlier than most Oaks, as may be seen from some fine avenues planted within the last score of years. The leaves are deep green, glossy, and finely divided, orange-scalet in fall. Prices are \$1.25 to \$8.00 up.

Q. Rubra—Red Oak. A large tree, unusually large in leaf and quick in growth. The young shoots and leaf stems are red and the foliage purplish-crimson in autumn. A most beautiful, majestic object on the lawn. \$1.00 to \$7.00 up.

#### Rhus—Sumach

Mostly natives of the United States. From an ornamental point they are valuable for their Well adapted for massing. conspicuous fruits and brilliant foliage in autumn.

R. Cotinus - Purple Fringe, or Smoke Tree. The misty, purplish masses which are borne hy this variety in June give it the name of smoke bush. In autumn the leaves change to varying colors. Prices 50c to \$1.50.

R. Glabra - Smooth Sumach. Very effective in autumn, with its crimson seeds and foliage. Prices 35c to \$2.00 up.

R. Typhina - Staghorn Sumach. Most desirable for grouping in masses. The foliage is compound, light green and of large size, brilliantly colored in autumn. It thrives on poor soil. Prices from 50c to \$1.50 up

#### Robinia—Locust. SEE Gleditschia

Natives of North America and valued for their beautiful racemes of pea-shaped blossoms. Prices \$1.50 to \$5.00 up.

#### Salix—Willow

The willows have a distinct value in the brightness of their bark and beauty of their airy summer foliage. Rapid-growing, adapted to a variety of soils, and very useful for water side plantings.

S. Laurifolia Pentandra - Lourel-Leaved Willow. A distinct, medium-sized tree, with laurel-like leaves that shine conspicuously in the sun. Has bright green bark and can be clipped into form like a bay tree. Beautiful the year round. Prices from 40c to \$1.75 up.

S. Rosmarinifolia - Rosemary-Leaved Willow. A pretty dwarf, very airy in effect, with its feathery branches and small silvery leaves. Grafted on tall stems, it forms a neat, round head of feathery silver-gray, found quite useful in formal work. Prices are 40c to \$1.50 up.

S. Carpea—Pollørd or Pussy Willow. Prices 75c to \$1.50 up.

S. Babylonica Our familiar Weeping Willow. A tall fine, drooping tree, with slender branchlets. 50c to \$5.00 up.

S. var. Dolorosa—Wisconsin Weaping Willow. Of similar fine habit but hardy further north. 50c to \$2.00 up.

S. Salmonii. A pretty tree, with light green rather narrow leaves and a drooping habit. Prices 20c to \$4.00 up.

S. Vitellina Aurea. A fine tree at all seasons, hut its bright yellow bark makes it particularly showy in the winter months, when it is a conspicuous feature in the landscape. Prices 30c to \$1 00 up.

#### Tilia—Linden, or Lime

Handsome, rapid-growing lawn and avenue trees of noble form and rounded outline. They produce very fragrant light-yellow flowers, are hardy, and will grow in any moderately good soil,

T. Americana—American Linden. Splendid in form and stature, larger and more open than the others, with larger leaves. Prices are from 80c to \$6.00 up.

T. Europaea—European Linden. Forms a beautifuldense head, fragrant blossoms. Prices 75c to \$8.00 up.

T. var. Argentea—Silver-Leaved Linden. Conspicuous among other trees because of its silver-lined leaves. These give it great brilliancy when ruffled by the wind. Handsome, vigorous, pyramidal. Prices 75c to \$2.50 up.

#### Taxodium—Deciduous or Bald Cypress

Taxodium Distichum Pendulum. A beautiful weeping tree of light green foliage, which turns to yellow in fall. Resembling an evergreen very much. Prices from \$2.50 to \$500.

#### Ulmus—Elm

Among the most valuable trees, sometimes attaining very large size. All are especially grace-They prefer a low, moist soil, but will succeed in ful and appropriate for lawn or avenue planting. soil moderately dry if of good quality. Of rapid growth and spreading habit,

U. Americana—American Elm. Easily distinguished by its wide, arching top and pendulous branches. Next to the oak this is the grandest and most picturesque of American trees. Dull yellow or brown in fall. Prices 90c to \$8.00 up.

#### ULMUS-Elm-CONTINUED

- U. Campestris-English Elm. More densely branched than the American, with smaller darker leaves, retained longer in autumn. The branches project from the trunk almost at right angles. Prices from \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.
- U. Scabra Pendula—Camperdown Weeping Elm. Of fine and notable habit, the strong, stout branches often sweeping out horizontally for several feet before they curve downward, making a broad handsome head. Prices are 75c to \$5.00 up.



Hardy Flowering Shrubs for Screen and Boundary

### HARDY FLOWERING DECIDUOUS SHRUBS

Due to the largely increased demand for this class of plants we have for several years given special attention to their culture. To keep pace with the requirements of modern landscape artists we have added, from year to year, not only the best of our native varieties, but the later introductions from European countries. Throughout the season the foliage of well-planted shrubbery will present the greatest variety of color.

#### Azalea-Also see Evergreen Shrubs

These shrubs bloom in splendid, showy clusters. They delight in a loose friable soil and in a sheltered location, like the Rhododendron. Old rotted sods and peat, or leaf mold from the woods, are excellent for the purpose. For massing in partially shaded locations, nothing could be more attractive.

A. Mollis—Japanese Azalea. Different shades of red, white, yellow and orange are produced in large trusses in this species; similar to those of the early rhododendron. Prices from 50c to \$1.25 up.

A. Nudiflora—Wood Honeysuckle or Pinxter. The brightest colored of all the northern native Azaleas. In New England it has become especially celebrated for the extensive masses of color it produces in summer, whole acres sometimes being seen in bloom. Massed thus it is lovely and most attractive. Prices are 50c to \$1.00.

#### Azalea Pontica (or Hardy Ghent Azaleas)

One of the best decorative deciduous varieties of Azaleas. Exceptionally valuable for their wide range of colors, ranging from white and yellow to the dark reds flowering in May and June; many of which are double. A very desirable border plant.

- A. Chas. Bauman—Color deep blood red. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.00 up.
- A. Coccinea Speciosa—Color clear orange. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.00.
- A. Daviesii-Color pure white. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.00 up.

#### AZALEA PONTICA (Hardy Ghent Azaleas)—CONTINUED

- A. Louis A. Van Houtii Double flowering, color cherry rose. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.00 up.
- A. Maja-Double flowering, color lilac rose. Prices are \$1.00 to \$2.00 up.
- A. Nancy Warterer-Color yellow. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.00 up.
- A. Pallas-Color crimson. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.00 up.
- A. Ralph de Smet-Semi-double, color rosy. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.00.

#### Aronia - Chokeberries

- A fine shrub of dwarfish habit with small white flowers, followed by a profusion of berries which cling until winter.
  - A. Melanocarpa Nigra-Black Chokeberry. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
  - A. Arbutifolia Rubra—Red Chokeberry. Prices 25c to \$1.00.

#### Aralia-See Trees

#### Althea-Rose of Sharon. See Hibiscus

#### Buddleia Veitchiana-Summer Lilac

This variety is a strong grower, reaching a height of four to five feet. Valuable for its late blooming, throwing out long flower spikes resembling the lilac. Very good for massing. Prices 25c to \$1.00.

#### Berberris—Barberry

A variety composed of prickly shrubs, with yellow flowers in masses all through the autumn. In winter they are even brighter with their crops of rich, bright berries. They are graceful and grow quickly in almost any soil, so that they can be used for neat little hedges and boundaries, groups against walls or house foundations. The berries vary in color through red and dark blue shades to almost black, adding variety and beauty to the landscape.

- B. Ilicifolia. See EVERGREEN SHRUBS. Page 21.
- B. Thunbergi-Thunberg's Barberry. Inimitably neat and dense in growth, yet quite graceful because of its drooping branches. The yellow flowers are followed by scarlet fruits persistent through most of the winter; the leaves color to scarlet and gold in autumn. For low hedges, borders of taller shrubs, planting around the bases of buildings, and a dozen other uses, the landscape gardener finds no other shrubs so good. Prices 15c to 50c.
- B. Vulgaris—European Barberry. Flowers yellow, berries dark red. Of upright growth with light green foliage. Prices 25c to 50c.
- B. Vulgaris Purpurea—Purple barberry. A showy and effective shrub, similar to B. Vulgaris in habit, but with fine purple leaves that contrast beautifully with other shrubs. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### Baccharis-Groundsel Tree

B. Halimifolia. This is a very pretty shrub of the thistle family. It can be used to great advantage on the seashore and in soft marshes. It is especially attractive in the autumn by its fluffy white seed pods and dark green foliage. Prices 25c to 75c.

#### Calycanthus—Carolina Allspice—Sweet Shrub

C. Floridus. This unique shrub grows rapidly upright, clothing its straight reddish brown shoots with large glossy leaves, from the axils of which odd, double, spicily fragrant flowers of chocolate-red appear. It is a hardy native shrub that deserves much wider planting. Prices are 25c to 50c.

#### Caryopteris—Blue Spirea

C. Mastacanthus. One of the newer introductions from China. With us it is more like a herbaceous plant than a wood shrub. The root, however, is hardy, and as the bloom always appears on the young shoots, there is an abundance of flowers of rich, lavender-blue, which it bears throughout the entire season. Fall blooming. Prices are 25c and 35c.

#### Chionanthus-Fringe Tree

C. Virginica—White Fringe Tree. See TREES, page 7.

#### Cercis—Judas Tree—See Trees, page 7.

#### Clethra—Sweet Pepper Bush

C. Alnifolia. Among the most easily cultivated shrubs. In September it is covered with long, showy wands of white flowers which are delightfully fragrant. Although found in low, wet grounds the Clethra succeeds apparently as well on high situations. Prices 25c and 35c.

#### Corchorus—See Kerria

#### Cornus—Dogwood

With the exception of Cornus Florida the Dogwoods are not showy when in bloom, but they are especially useful on account of the rich colorings of their bark in some species, and the handsome, variegated foliage in others. Valuable for tasteful landscape effects.

Cornus—See Trees, page 8.

C. Alba, var. Sibirica—Siberian Dogwood. Free growing and very hardy; forms a small handsome tree in some situations. Flowers white, clustered; bark a showy deep red. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### CORNUS - Dogwood - CONTINUED

- C. Sanguinea, var. Elegantissima Variegata. The leaves are elegantly marked with white, contrasting finely with the deep blood red bark. Prices are 35c to \$1.00.
- C. Spaethi Aurea—Red-Twig Dogwood. This variety is similar to Elegantissima, excepting its upright growth and foliage of yellow and green. Very useful in borders. Prices from 35c to \$1.00.
  - C. Lutea—Golden Twig Dogwood. Prices 35c to \$1.00.

#### Corylus-Filbert, Hazel

C. Avellana, var. Atropurpurea—Purple-Leaved Filbert. A distinct and fine shrub for grouping. Conspicuous in any arrangement. Prices 75c and \$1.00.

#### Crataegus—Thorn. SEE Trees, page 8.

#### Cydonia—Japan Quince

- C. Japonica. Very early in spring this fine, well-known shrub is brilliant with scarlet flowers. The foliage is deep green and glossy. It makes a fine flowering and defensive hedge. Prices 35c and 60c.
  - C. var. Alba. Blush-white single flowers. Like the type in other respects. Prices 35c and 60c.

#### Cytisus. SEE Trees. page 8.

#### Daphne SEE Evergreen Shrubs, page 22.

#### Desmodium—Tick—Trefoil

D. Japonicum and Penduliforum. The latter is commonly known as the Sweet Pea shrub. Both varieties are very showy and beautiful shrubs, the former sending forth pure white pea-shaped flowers on pendulous branches, while the latter bears its masses of red and violet blossoms in the form of delicate drooping sprays. They die down to the ground in the winter, but annually make vigorous new growth. They retain their bloom until late in the season. Prices 25c and 35c.

#### Deutzia

- A variety of Japanese shrubs. They are hardy, rapid in growth, easily cultivated and exceedingly attractive when in bloom. The taller forms are valuable as specimens or for grouping with the smaller ones as a border.
- D. Candidissima. The pure white flowers of this new species are so perfect in shape that they are frequently used in making up designs. The bush is neat and shapely; a fine shrub for almost any situation. Prices 25c to 75c.
- D. Crenata Flora Pleno. One of the early flowering Deutzias having a pink flower which fades to a snow-white. Good for massing. Prices 25c to 75c.
- D. Discolor Grandiflora. This beautiful variety comes from China and is most attractive. The foliage is large and the leaves are dark green above and light green beneath. The flowers are borne in loose corymbs. Prices 25c to 75c.
- D. Gracilis—Slender-branched Deutzia. A neat dense little bush of dwarf habit. Its branches are long and slender and in the month of May it is covered with a profusion of pure white flowers. A very good plant for massing or individual planting. Prices 25c to 75c.
- D. Lemoinei. An elegant new hybrid of the D. Gracilis but a little more upright in its growth. The flowers are pure white and of attractive shape. Prices 25c to 75c.
- D. Pride of Rochester. A showy early variety that blcoms in May before the others. The flowers are large double white, tinted on the outer edge with rose. Prices 25c to 75c.

#### Diervilla-Weigelia

After the Lilacs stop blooming in June, we have this beautiful shrub to look upon with its great profusion of flowers, trumpet shape in form, and ranging in a wide variety of color from white to red. A most excellent plant for immediate effects.

- D. Candida. An extra choice and vigorous sort, that yields one profuse crop of flowers in June and lighter ones at intervals all summer. Prices 25c to 50c.
- D. Eva Rathka. This variety is very charming and beautiful. The flowers are brilliant crimson and very plentiful. Usually there are two crops of flowers during the season. Prices 25c to 50c.
- D. Florida var. Amabilis. This is a hardy, vigorous grower and of good habit making a rapid growth. It makes a nice shrub for individual planting. The flowers are rose-red in color. Prices 25c to 50c.
- D. Floribunda. A good shrub for single or group planting. The flowers are of a crimson shade being a cinnabar-red in the bud. Prices 25c to 50c.
- D. var. Rosea. This is a very interesting little shrub of excellent growth bearing a crop of beautiful pink flowers. Prices from 25c to 50c.
- D. var. Rosea Nana Variegata. A shrub of dwarf habit with attractive foliage, the leaves being margined with creamy white. The flowers are a dainty shade of pink. Prices 25c to 50c.
- D. Steltzneri. This handsome little shrub has a crop of very pretty dark red flowers that are borne in great profusion. Prices 25c to 50c.
  - D. Van Houttei. A showy plant with clear carmine flowers. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### HARDY FLOWERING DECIDUOUS SHRUBS - CONTINUED

#### Euonymus—Strawberry Tree

E. Europaeus. This is the English variety of the Strawberry tree. It is sometimes called Burning Bush, because so full of brilliant scarlet berries in the Autumn after its leaves have fallen. These are its greatest beauty. Four or more bright scarlet seeds cling to a crimson capsule of singular formation. The leaves color a beautiful crimson scarlet in the Fall. The stems and leaves are always a dark polished green. Prices 50c to \$1.00.

#### Exochorda—Pearl Bush

E. Grandiflora. This new shrub is very closely related to the Spirea family and the Grandiflora is the best of this specie. It is not in great quantity, but is a very beautiful plant bearing white flowers in profusion. In the bud they resemble a string of pearls. Prices 25c to 75c.

#### Forsythia—Golden Bell

These are our very best early flowering shrubs. Before any tree or shrub shows a leaf, they burst into a brilliant mass of golden yellow flowers, striking and beautiful. All are hardy and of the easiest culture.

- F. Intermedia. The flowers are bright golden; the leaves a glossy green. A handsome shrub worthy of a place in every shrub border. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- F. Suspensa. The growth of this variety is naturally arching and is valuable to cover trellises, etc. Prices 25c to 75c.
- F. Fortunei. This variety is very erect in its growth making it a good shrub for speciman or massing. Prices 25c to 75c.
- F. Viridissima. This variety differs from the others is the color of its flower, being a little deeper yellow. Prices 25c to 75c.

#### Hibiscus—Althea

The Althea is a shrub of very upright growth, bringing forth its foliage much later than the others. It is very popular as it can be used individually, in a group, or planted close together for hedging. Very attractive as a hedge, it stands severe pruning, which should be done in winter.

- H. Alba Flora Pleno. A beautiful variety in white which is double flowering. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- H. Rubra Flora Pleno. This variety is the same growth as the above but it is double red. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- H. Variegata. This is the varigated leaved Althea which is very attractive. It is very good to mass in with some of the other varieties for clump planting. Prices 25c to 50c.
- H. Tree Form. We can furnish on special order some very choice Altheas grown into tree form. Prices on application.

#### Hydrangea

This is a genus composed of hardy and half-hardy shrubs. The half-hardy varieties (Hortensis), being more tender, require some protection during the winter. The hardy varieties (Paniculata)

are very hardy and showy. These are used extensively for bedding purposes. Blooming in August and September, they should be thoroughly pruned every winter to make the flowers larger and finer.

- H. Arborescens—Wild Hydrangea this variety of Hydrangea is a very thrifty grower and resembles the Snowball in many respects. The flowers are white and come in bloom about the latter part of June. Prices 25c to 50c.
- H. Hortensis—Garden Hydrangea. This old fashioned plant is very handsome and a great favorite. It is very good for Easter forcing, also for porch decoration. It is only half hardy and requires protection during the winter. Prices on application.

H. Otaksa. This is also another one of those which require a winter protec-



Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora as grown at the Oak Park Nurseries.

tion. It is a profuse bloomer having pink flower heads. A good plant to grow in tubs. Prices on application.

H. Paniculata Grandiflora—Panicled Hardy Hydrangea. This shrub is beyond doubt one of the most popular of this sort. No garden or bed is complete without a few. Its massive plumes of white flowers bend the branches with their weight, changing finally to pink and green late in the season. This shrub shows best when grown in rich soil and massed in great beds or masses. They should be severely pruned each Spring before they start to grow, cutting them back to the ground. In this way fewer flower heads will grow but they are far superior to those that are not cut back. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### HYDRANGEA - CONTINUED

H. Tree Form - The Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora can be grown into handsome tree-like shrubs, and are very suitable for planting in many places. Prices 50c to \$1.00.

H. Ramulis Pictis. This beautiful variety is not of the hardy sort, but is very striking in color. They are sometimes pink and sometimes blue, according to the soil conditions. Prices 50c to \$5.00.

#### Hypericum—St. John's Wort

A shrub of a semi-dwarf habit and most excellent for planting in places where there is all sun or a partial shade. They are very showy when in bloom, throwing forth an abundance of yellow flowers. We offer the two best varieties below.

H. Aureum. This is the very yellow Hypericum which is a thrifty grower, making an excellent plant for massing. Prices 35c to 75c.

H. Moserianum. A shrub of semi-pendulous habit which is very good for planting in masses on hillsides or places where the soil is well drained. The flowers are bright yellow, very beautiful and exceptionally large. Prices 50c to \$1.00.

#### Kerria—Globe Flower

K. Japonica Flora Pleno. This shrub is known as the double flowering Corchorus, and is a plant known by every planter. The leaves are of a polished green, and the stems are also of a rich green, which makes them very attractive. The vellow flowers are borne in great profusion throughout the season. Prices are 25c to 75c.

#### Ligrustrum—Privet

An ideal hedge plant possessing so many good points that we can no longer spare them for hedges alone. The different species form many interesting groups for the lawn. They are almost evergreen, grow well in any soil, and may be trimmed to any shape desired.

L. Amurense-Amoors Privet. Hardy variety especially valuable in the North as a hedging plant or for planting with shrubbery. Two to three feet, 15c to 75c.

L. Aureum-golden Privet. A very showy and handsome shrub suitable for specimen planting or in hedges. Its leaves are a beautiful yellow, not very large but very attractive. Prices 25c to \$1.00.

L. Ibota -Chinese Privet. A native shrub of China and Japan. Its growth is rather rapid and it is very good for specimen or hedge planting. It flowers in great profusion and the white flowers are very noticeable. It is the hardiest of all privets. Prices 20c to 50c.

L. Ovalifolium—California Privet. This is beyond doubt the most popular of all privets and the one most extensively used. It makes a good hedge plant, hardy and vigorous in growth. The leaves are of a beautiful shade of green and stay on long after the other shrubs have shed their foliage. It will stand severe clipping and can be trained into many attractive shapes. Prices \$2.50 to \$35.00 per hundred. Special quotation on large quantities.

L. Ovalifolium-Globe Form. This is the California privet clipped up in globes. It is very attractive and is suitable for planting in tubs or in the ground. Prices 75c to \$1.50.

L. Ovalifolium—This is the California privet clipped into the pyramidal shape, and is suitable for many kinds of planting. Prices 75c to \$1.50.

L. Ovalifolium—Tree Form. This is the California privet clipped into the shape of a tree, and is good for tub or ground planting. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00.

L. Pulaski-Polish Privet. One of the many good varieties of the well-known privet. Strong grower and very hardy. Prices, two to three feet, 25c to 75c.

#### Lonicera – Bush Honeysuckle

These are tall shrubs of upright growth and are valuable for their profusion of red, white and pink flowers and their crops of red and yellow berries.

L. Fragrantissima-Fragrant Upright Honeysuckle. This is a spreading shrub with deep green foliage and very

fragrant small flowers which appear before the leaves. The foliage is almost evergreen. Prices 35c to \$1.00.

L. Morrowi Japanese Bush Honeysuckle, This beautiful shrub is very attractive with its profusion of white flowers, and in August it is covered with a mass of red fruit which is persistent through the fall. Prices 35c to \$1.00.

L. Tartarica-Tartarian Honeysuckle. One of the best of the species. Its fine pink flowers contrast beautifully with its own leaves or with those of any other variety. Prices 35c to \$1.00.

Lonicera-See VINES OR CLIMBERS.

#### Myrica—Bayberry

Myrica Cerifera-Candleberry or Wax Myrtle. A handsome native shrub of dense growth, thriving well in light and sandy soils. Foliage rich dark green. Prices 25c to 75c.

#### Philadelphus—Mock Orange

This variety of shrub is commonly called Syringea, which is also the title of the Lilacs. This has caused considerable confusion between the two distinct families. Those which we offer are hardy, robust, have handsome leaves and large clusters of white flowers. Some varieties are very fragrant and some have beautiful golden foliage. All are hardy and easy to cultivate.

P. Coronarius-Garland Syringea. A fine old form that blooms among the earliest and has very graceful sprays. The large snowy flowers are delightfully scented. Prices 25c to \$1.00.

P. var. Aurea-Golden Syringea. A striking shrub of medium size, with golden yellow leaves that remain bright throughout the season. Valuable for contrastive grouping. Prices 25c to \$1.00.

#### PHILADELPHUS - Mock Orange - CONTINUED

- P. Grandiflorus—Large Flowering. The most vigorous grower of them all. Its long irregular branches are clustered with large, slightly fragrant flowers. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- P. Erectus var Lemoinei—Lemoines Erect Syringea. A fine variety of very erect growth with large foliage and free-blooming habit. Its clusters of fragrant creamy white blossoms open in June. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### Potentilla

P. Fruticosa—Shrubby Cinquefoil. A bright flowering little shrub that thrives in rocky or damp places. It is of upright growth with narrow silky foliage, bearing a profusion of yellow flowers from midsummer until frost. 25c to 50c.

#### Prunus-Flowering Plum or Almund. See Trees, page 10.

Prunus Maritima—Common Beach Plum. This shrub is of a tree-like growth and bears an abundance of small plums which are excellent for preserves. It is indigenous to very sandy soils, such as at the seashore. Prices 50c. to 75c.

#### Ribes—Currant

The flowering Currants are much prized for their wealth of bright flowers in early spring and their ever-prevailing spicy odor. The leaves are glossy and green, and turn to brilliant colors in the fall. All are quite hardy.

- R. Aureum Golden Currant. This little shrub has beautiful yellow flowers, and are followed with dark brown fruit. Prices 25c to 50c.
- R. Sanguineum Red Flowering Currant. A shrub with deep red flowers in graceful drooping clusters. Blooms later than the other varieties. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### Rhodotypus—Kerria

R. Kerrioides-White Kerria. An early flowering shrub of graceful habit. The flowers are large and white. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### Rhus—Sumach. Also see Trees, page 11.

The flowering varieties of this shrub have decided claims for landscape adornment. Their tints of crimson and scarlet in the autumn are very effective. Hardy and of the easiest culture in any soil.

- R. Aromatica- Fragrant Sumach. A low growing bush with very handsome, thick fragrant foliage. It takes on a gorgeous color in the fall. Prices 25c to 50c.
- R. Copallina—Shining Sumach. A variety with an attractive and shining foliage, which changes to a rich crimson in the fall. Prices 25c to 50c.
- R. Glabra Laciniata Cut-leaved Sumach. A fine variety with large deeply cut leaves turning to a beautiful crimson color in the fall. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### Rosa—Japanese Wild Rose

- R. Rugosa Alba—White Japanese Wild Rose. A shrub of low-growing habit, whose foliage is very thick and the stems or branches are covered with thorns. It is very effective as a hedge or can be used as specimens. Prices 25c to 75c.
- R. Rugosa Rubra Red Japanese Wild Rose. This variety is of the same habit as the white rose and is also good for hedge or massing. Prices 25c to 75c.

#### Sambucus—Elder

Although these shrubs are attractive in flower and fruit they are grown chiefly for their foliage. They grow well in all soils but should be vigorously pruned to keep them shapely.

- S. Acutiloba var, Laciniata—Cut-Leaved Elder. This is a very attractive form of Elder, and its delicate fern-like leaves are always pleasing. Very good for border planting. Prices 25c to \$1,00.
- S. Canadensis—Common Elder. Its broad leaves and panicles of white flowers in June are admired wherever planted. In the autumn the branches are covered with reddish purple berries. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Nigra Aurea—Golden-Leaved Elder. This is one of the best golden-leaved shrubs, and should be in every collectian. Prices 25c to \$1.00.

#### Spirea

All the Spireas bloom with great profusion and lastingly. A good collection of them will afford flowers throughout the entire season. They are very hardy and not difficult to grow, doing well in almost any soil and location, which makes them very desirable. Very attractive in border, hedge or as a single specimen.

- S. Anthony Waterer. A very handsome bush of dwarf habit. A vigorous grower and bloomer, having two crops of flowers, one early in the season and the other later on. The pinkish red blooms are most pleasing. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Bumalda. Somewhat similar to Anthony Waterer. A good shrub for individual planting or for massing. It flowers in May and then at intervals throughout the season. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Collosa Alba. A compact grower, very upright, with bluish-green foliage. It bears great clusters of white, flat-topped flowers throughout the season. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Opulifolia—A very sturdy grower and profuse bloomer. In June they are so laden down with flowers that ofttimes the branches droop under the weight. A useful bush for border or massing. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Opulifolia var. Aurea—A beautiful double-flowering variety with golden foliage. Similar to the above. Prices 25c to \$1.00.

#### SPIREA—CONTINUED.

- S. Prunifolia—Bridal Wreath. One of the best known Spireas flowering early in the season and making a very beautiful showing, especially when planted in clumps or groups. We cannot say too much in favor of this old fashioned shrub. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Prunifolia Flore Pleno—This variety is among the first of the Spireas to bloom. It is very graceful and plume-like in habit. Its branches are covered with white flowers the entire length which are small and double. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Reevesii—Single flowering. A very valuable variety to add to the border. The plant is of upright growth, flowers of greenish white in profusion. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Reevesiana—Reeves Double Spirea. Tall and graceful with upright branches and bluish-green foliage; crowned with large flat clusters of white flowers that open in May and June. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Thumbergii—Thumbergs Spirea. A distinct and attractive shrub at all seasons. The feathery white flowers open early in the Spring and late in the Fall the shrub is very attractive as the foliage changes to a rich red and orange. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- S. Van Houttei—Van Houttes Spirea. This is one of the finest of all the Spireas and can be used to good advantage in many plantings. The white flowers are borne in great profusion so much so that the branches droop under the weight. In the Autumn the foliage is gorgeous. Prices 25c to \$1.00.

#### Symphoricarpus—Wax Berry

These shrubs are valued for their bright fruits and for use as undergrowths in densely shaded places where little else will grow. They will flourish under trees and in poor soil.

- S. Racemosus Snowberry. The flowers of this shrub are inconspicuous, rose-colored and open in June and July. The leaves are thin dark green; the fruit is large, milk-white, clustered and presistent through the season and till late in the Fall. Prices 35c to 75c.
- S. Vulgaris—Coral Berry. Somewhat similar to the Snowberry except for its fruit which is red. These berries cluster about the stems like thick chains and are very attractive. Prices 35c to 75c.

#### Syringea—Lilac

Lilacs appear to the best advantage when massed in groups. They are easily transplanted in the autumn or spring after their blooming season. Remove the dead flower stems, which give an untidy appearance, but do not prune in the spring or fall as this will destroy the flower buds.

- S. Josikaea—Hungarian Lilac. A variety of good habit and valuable for its late bloom. Very upright with stout branches and broad dark leaves; flowers are lilac-purple, large in loose panicles, late in June. Prices 35c to \$2.50.
- S. Persica—Persian Lilac. A fine old species with slender branches and narrow leaves. It seldom grows but a few feet high. The pale Lilac flowers are very fragrant and are borne in large loose panicles. Prices 35c to 75c.
- S. Persica Alba—White Persian Lilac. Similar to the purple Persian Lilac with beautiful white flowers. Prices 50c to 75c.
- S. Persica var. Lacinata—Cut-Leaved Persian Lilac. Of about the same habit as the Persian Lilac but its leaves are deeply incised which gives it grace and beauty. The flowers are Purple. Prices 35c to 75c.
- S. Rothomegensis—Rouen Lilac. This bush is very handsome when in bloom having great masses of reddish-purple flowers which are very large and beautiful. Prices 35c to 75c.
- S. Vulgaris—Common or Old-fashioned Lilac. This is the most popular of all the Lilacs as it is found in most all gardens. Its panicles of lilac flowers are borne in great clusters and are the most fragrant of all. Prices 35c to \$2.00.
- S. Vulgaris var. Alba—Old-fashioned White Lilac. Of the same habit as the purple Old-fashioned Lilac but having white flowers. Prices 35c to \$2.00.

#### Syringea Vulgaris-Single Named Varieties

Charles X. Of exceptionally strong and rapid growth, with large shining leaves and rather loose trusses of reddish purple flowers. Prices 50c to \$2.00.

Marie Megraye. A good variety for forcing. Flowers are pure white in large panicles. Handsome for group or massing. Prices 50c to \$2.00.

Rubra De Marley. A handsome shrub with rich rosy purple flowers. Prices 50c to \$2.00.

Souvenir De Ludwig Spaeth. Dark purplish red flowers large and in long panicles. A distinct and superb variety that will give good satisfaction. Prices 50c to \$2.00.

Langius. A single rosy red sort that is very pleasing. Prices 50c to \$2.00.

#### New Double Lilacs

Jean Bart. This is an exquisite variety bearing beautiful panicles of double violet purple flowers. Prices 75c to \$2.00.

Madame Lemoine. A variety of double white. Handsome. Prices 75c to \$2.00.

#### Tamarix—Tamarisk

Tall shrubs of strong, slender but very upright growth. The foliage is small, light green and delicate in appearance. The flowers are pink or rose-colored. Good for planting near the seashore.

- T. Africana. This is sometimes known as Tamarisk Paviflora. It has bright pink flowers in slender racemes on the shoots of the preceding seasons growth. Prices 25c to \$1.00.
- T. Gallica—Indica. Similar to Africana but the Pink flowers are in longer and more wand-like sprays. Prices 25c to \$1.00.

#### HARDY FLOWERING DECIDUOUS SHRUBS—CONTINUED

#### Viburnum-Snowball

Masses of Snowballs when in bloom produce in the Spring the same showy effect that the Hydrangea does in the Fall. They are a large, hardy, quick-growing variety of shrubs, and are very valuable either for groups or

V. Dentatum. Arrow Wood. The flowers of this variety are greenish white. It is one of the best for massing for its foliage effect. Prices 25c to 50c.

specimens.

- V. Molle. A robust growing shrub, with cymes of white flowers, which appear later than the other Viburnums. Prices 25c to 50c.
- V. Opulus—syn. Oxycoccos. Bush Cranberry. A very decorative native shrub growing to the height of 12 feet. It bears great clusters of white flowers in May, followed by large and showy scarlet fruit. Prices 25c to 75c.
- V. Opulus var. Sterilis—Common Snowball. This variety is also known as Guelde Rose. It is good for single specimen planting or for border planting. The flowers are pure white. Prices 25c to 75c.



The shrub in the foreground is a Japanese Snowball. As here shown it is attractively used with a planting of old-fashioned flowers,

- V. Tomentosum—Japanese Single Flowering Snowball. This is the single form of the beautiful Japanese Snowball. The flowers are pure white, borne along the branches in flat cymes in great profusion in June. Prices 25c to 75c.
- V. Tomentosum var. Plicatum—Japanese Snowball. This is the double white flowering Snowball. The flower heads are globular in shape and delicate. It is the best of all the Snowballs. Prices 35c to \$1.00.
- V. Seiboldi. A good variety of snowball for border planting. Its foliage is thick and glossy green color. Prices 25c to 75c.

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## VINES AND CREEPERS

Climbing vines and creepers are as necessary to the comfort and beauty of the home as the trees and shrubs we plant about it. They will grow where there is no room for other ornamentals. In the select list we offer below will be found the most desirable varieties.

#### Akebia

A. Quinata. A beautiful Japanese vine with unique foliage and chocolate-purple flowers of delightful fragrance in large clusters. The foliage is never attacked by insects. Prices 25c and 75c.

#### Actinidia

A. Polygama. A rapid growing vine from Japan. The flowers are white with a purple center and sometimes cover the whole vine. Prices 25c to 75c.

#### **Ampelopsis**

An important genus of vines, climbing by means of disk-tipped tendrils. The foliage is glossy green in the summer, turning to brilliant tints of crimson in the fall.

- A. Quinquefolia—Virginia Creeper—Five Leaved Ivy. The well known native with five parted leaves which turn to a pretty red and crimson in the Fall. The berries are a black-blue. It is entirely hardy everywhere; quick growing but usually needs a little support when grown on brick walls. Prices 25c to 75c.
- A. Veitchi—Boston Ivy. This is a beautiful Japanese variety. It is one of the finest for covering brick walls, etc. In the summer the foliage is a beautiful green changing in the Fall to rich shades of red and yellow. When established it is perfectly hardy. Prices 25c to 75c.
- A. Tricuspidata—Three Colored Ivy. Similar to the Boston Ivy and very good for covering any surface. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### VINES AND CREEPERS-CONTINUED

#### **Clematis**

This is one of the most useful flowering vines for covering trellises, verandas, etc. We know of no other vine that can compare with it for grace and beauty. The small-flowering varieties can be used with climbing roses to great advantage for beauty and effect.

- C. Henryi. Creamy white; large and fine shape. A free bloomer and rapid grower. Prices 50c to 75c.
- C. Jackmanni. The flowers when fully expanded are from four to six inches in diameter and are of a rich violet-purple. It blooms continually through the season. Prices 50c to 75c.
- C. Madam Edouard Andre. A rapid grower and free bloomer. The flowers are of a crimson red. It is entirely distinct from all the other Clematis. Prices 50c to 75c.
- C. Paniculata. Japanese white Clematis which will grow well anywhere and is the one that can be planted in with climbing roses, giving a very pleasing effect. Prices 25c to 75c.

#### Euonymus

- E. Radigans. Evergreen vine that is good for covering walls, etc. Prices 25c to 50c.
- E. Radigans Variegata. An evergreen vine with a leaf colored with green and white. It is a very good plant to use in covering rocks, walls or any rough surface. Price 25c to 50c.

Euonymus. See Evergreen shrubs.

#### Hedera-Evergreen Ivy

II. Helix. The well known evergreen English Ivy, still the most beautiful covering that can be given to any rough wall or surface. Leaves of rich, sombre green. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### Lonicera—Honeysuckle. Also see Shrubs.

This well-known ornamental vine consists of many species. All of them are hardy and of easy cultivation.

- L. Brachypoda Aurea Reticulata—Japanese Golden Honeysuckle. This variety is of vigorous growth, forming festoons and masses with its clear golden leaves. The flowers are creamy white. Prices 20c to 50c.
- L. Hallina—Halls Japanese Honeysuckle. Pure white and creamy yellow flowers, very fragrant. Besides its ordinary use it is valuable for covering banks, bare places, etc., where grass will not grow. Prices 20c to 50c.
- L. Sempervirens—Scarlet Trumpet Honeysuckle. This is one of the finest of all Honeysuckles that is under cultivation; the flowers are scarlet and of trumpet form. Prices 25c to 50c.

#### Tecoma or Bignonia—Trumpet Creeper

T. Radicans—American Trumpet Creeper. A splendid, hardy, climbing plant with large trumpet shaped flowers of pure scarlet. Prices 35c to 50c.

#### Wisteria

A family of climbing vines introduced from China and Japan. Entirely hardy with us and exceedingly ornamental when in bloom. They have pinnate leaves and long drooping flowers of light blue and white.

- W. Sinensis—Chinese Wisteria. A most beautiful climber of rapid growth, producing long pendulous flowers of pale blue. When well established it will grow very rapidly. Prices 50c to \$1.00.
- W. Sinensis var. Alba. The only difference between this and the Chinese Wisteria is that the flowers are white. Prices 50c to \$1.00.
- W. Multijuga. This is a fine variety that is of the same growth as the Chinese but the flowers are darker blue. Prices 75c to \$1.50.
- W. Multijuga Alba. The same as the Multijuga but the flowers are white. The growth of this variety is more delicate in appearance than the Chinese White Wisteria. Prices 50c to \$1.50.

## BROAD-LEAVED AND OTHER EVER-GREEN SHRUBS

The uses of these Evergreen shrubs are manifold. Their sales have more than doubled in the past few years, which goes to show how extensively they are planted. There are no better shrubs to use, most of them producing large quantities of blossoms in a wide range of colors. The plants we offer are grown in a thorough manner and delivered with a generous ball of earth.

#### Andromeda

Plant forms a round, compact dwarf subject,

and is one of the most valuable of this whole family. Prices \$1.00 to \$1.50 up.

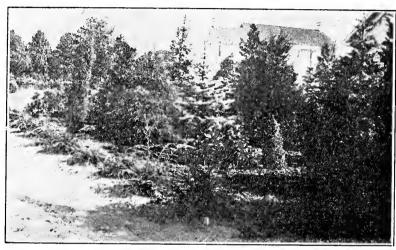
A. Japonica—Lily of the Valley Shrub. This is a very good variety and attractive, with the same habit as the above excepting the terminal buds are of a coppery tint. Prices 75c to \$1.25 up.

#### Aucuba—Japanese Laurel

A. Japonica—Japanese Laurel. A medium sized plant with a dark green, glossy foliage; with its bright red berries in the fall of the year it makes a very attractive and desirable plant for borders or massing with Rhododendrons. It is not entirely hardy, but will do well in this climate with a slight protection. Prices from \$1.00 to \$2.00.

A. J. Aureomaculata—Gold Dust Laurel. This is a very interesting variety, having a leaf of spattered green and gold.

A. Floribunda-Pieris—Mt. Fetter Bush. Flowers in large panicles over a dense, dark mass of Evergreen foliage.



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It is sometimes called spattered Aucuba. The fruit is like the above and adds greatly to the appearance. Prices from \$1.00 to \$2.00.

#### Azalea

These shrubs bloom in splendid showy clusters. They delight in a loose friable soil and sheltered location, like the Rhododendrons. Old rotted sods and peat or leaf mold from the woods are excellent for the purpose. For massing in partially shaded places nothing could be more attractive.

A. Amoena—Chinese Azalea. From China. This variety is a dwarf of bushy habit, a native of China and very hardy. Its abundant glossy, dark green foliage assumes a beautiful bronze tint in the fall. In May the bush is entirely



Azaleas and other small Evergreen Shrubs at the main Nursery (Azalea Hinodigiri in the foreground)

- covered with light crimson flowers. Fine for massing or for border plants. Prices 75c to \$2.00 up.
- A. Hinodigiri Chinese Azalea. One of the latest introductions. A fine variety, of compact dwarf habit. The leaves are somewhat larger than those of Amoena, and when in blossom is very attractive, being completely covered with carmine-pink flowers. Prices 75c to \$3.00.
- A. Hatsugiri. We cannot say too much in praise of this variety. It is a very pretty plant though not quite as well known as the others. The flowers are a lilac color, and it is a very early and free bloomer. An ideal plant for the border. Prices \$1.00 to \$5.00 up.

A. Indica Alba - Chinese White Azalca. A fine white variety that does well in shade and sheltered spots. In late years it has been planted extensively with Rhododendrons. Prices \$1.00 up.

A. Yodogawa-- Chinese Double Azalea. This variety is a very handsome plant, producing double lilac flowers of great beauty and being a very free bloomer. Prices are \$1.00.

#### BROAD-LEAVED AND OTHER EVERGREEN SHRUBS-CONTINUED

#### Berberis—Barberry

Berberis. See shrubs.

B. Ilicifolia—Holly-leaved Barberry. This Barberry is of the Evergreen type its leaves being somewhat of the same design as that of the Holly, and with its dwarf habit, it is of great value to the border. Prices 40c to 75c.

#### Buxus-Boxwood

Boxwood is without a doubt the best known of all the Evergreen shrubs, and probably the most choice and distinctive plant in cultivation to-day. We are growing the varieties listed below and offer them to the public at reasonable prices. Boxwood is a great addition to any planting. Its



Boxwood growing at the Main Nursery in Patchogue. We can furnish these plants in almost any form.

value for formal gardens, etc., is manifold.

B. Sempervirens—Tree Box. This is the hardiest variety, close growing, oval, dark, green glossy leaves. It can be trimmed in many forms and kept in the same design for years. The trimming of these plants should be done the latter part of March or the first of April and if a tight compact plant is desired, the trimming should be frequent through the Summer months. We offer the following forms, dug with ball of earth and burlapped.

B. Sempervirens—Standard or Tree Form. This is the common Boxwood trimmed up into pretty, tree-like plants; the stems ranging from 18 inches to 3 feet and is very desirable for the formal garden or for tubbing. Prices from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

- B. Sempervirens—Pyramidal Form. A very popular form and excellent for formal plantings. Prices \$1.25 to \$5.00.
- B. Sempervirens Globosa—Globe Form. This is probably the most extensive used form of Boxwood, as its use can be put to advantage in the greatest number of plantings. They are excellent for bordering the garden and the large sizes being extensively planted at entrances. Prices from \$1.00 up.
- B. Sempervirens—Bush Form. This is the natural form and grows to be a very compact and desirable plant. It is one of the best and least expensive of any of the types. Prices 40c to \$25.00.
- B. Semperaurea—Golden Leaf Boxwood. This type of Boxwood is a valuable plant when carrying out a color scheme, as the golden yellow is of a different hue than the other types of Evergreens that are now in cultivation. Prices from \$1.00 to \$5.00.
- B. Suffraticosa—Dwarf Boxwood. This is the best Evergreen edging plant to use where the growth must be slow. We are able to furnish these plants 6 to 8 inches in height at the following rates. 20c each or \$15.00 by the hundred and \$120.00 by the thousand.
- B. Suffraticosa—Dwarf Boxwood. Large Specimens. This type of Boxwood is also known as the old-fashioned variety and is being planted extensively on the large estates. The buying of this Boxwood through the country has made it very scarce. Those wishing to plant large specimens will find it hard work to procure them at a reasonable price. We have been procuring such plants for our customers the past Summer and we advise you writing us for prices.

#### Cotoneaster

C. Microphylla. This plant is almost prostrate in habit and unsurpassed for border and rockery plantings. The foliage is small and deep green; bright scarlet berries all winter. Prices 50c to 75c.

#### Daphne—Garland Flower

D. Cncorum. This hardy Evergreen plant has closely set, glossy, narrow leaves and forms the most beautiful carpet of green produced by any hardy plant. Begins to blossom in May and its round clusters of bright pink, highly fragrant blossoms are borne in great profusion all summer; the first snow often covering its flowers. It is a plant which everyone wants on sight. Prices 50c to \$1.00.

#### Euonymus. See Shrubs and Vines

E. Sieboldi. A very desirable Evergreen shrub, producing cream white flowers, which makes it a very conspicuous plant, the foliage being of a dark glossy green. Prices 50c to \$1.00.

#### Hedera. See Vines

#### Ilex-Holly

Ilex Crenata—Japanese Holly. A very attractive Holly from Japan that does very well in this climate. The leaves are small, myrtle-like and in great abundance, Prices \$1.25 to \$5.00.

#### ILEX-Holly-Continued

Hex Opaca—American Holly. This is our well-known sort or native, with dark green leaves and red berries, which gives it a beautiful appearance in winter. Somewhat difficult to transplant but very hardy. Prices \$1.25 to \$5.00.

Hex Aquifolium—English Holly. A native of England and Continental Europe. The crisp spiny foliage is always bright and when loaded with berries, it is the cynosure of the Christmas landscape. Prices \$1.50 to \$10.00.

Hex Aquitolium Variegatum—Variegated English Holly. This is like the above variety with the exception of the leaves, which are variegated with green and white; most attractive when planted in groups or as nice single specimens. Prices \$1.50 to \$10.00.

#### Kalmia-Mountain Laurel

K. Latifolia. A small genus of North American Evergreens. This variety is an excellent aid to the Rhododendrons out of doors and is well adapted for forcing in Spring, for Greenhouse or conservatory decoration. Prices 75c to \$2.00 up.

#### Loniceia Halleana. See Vines

#### Laurus Nobilis-Bay Tree

We import carefully selected specimens direct from Europe, and in this way we are able to offer, either in the standard or pyramidal form the best in these plants. Prices range from \$20.00 a pair up. We advise those who wish such trees for summer decoration to write

us for complete sizes and quotations.

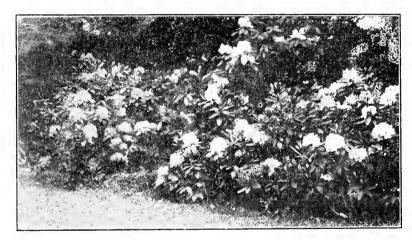
#### Mahonia

M. Aquifolium — Holly-Leaved Ashberry. A valuable Evergreen shrub with glossy green foliage, bearing yellow flowers in April. The foliage in winter is of scarlet bronze. Prices 50c to \$1.00.

M. Japonica - Japanese Mahonia. This plant has broad, spiny foliage, which makes it very odd and attractive. It does not need protection in our location. Prices 50c to \$1.00.

#### Rhododendron-Rose Bay

These are most effective and more easily cared for when planted in beds or large groups. This ar-



Showing Rhododeudron Catawbiense Alba in bloom.

rangement will enable their handsome flowers to be displayed in rich masses. They will grow in any good soil, but are finest in a somewhat sheltered situation where the soil is deep, well drained

and with plenty of leaf mold.

Leaves make good winter protection, which should be given before winter sets in.



Rhododendron Maximum planted with other Evergreen shrubs at our East Patchogue Nursery.

- R. Catawbiense. This and Maximum are the two hardiest varieties. This is a round, close-growing form, with handsome foliage and large trusses of violet-purple flowers. A splendid variety to group with the high-colored forms as its foliage effect can be depended upon. Prices \$1.25 to \$3.00 up.
- R. Catawbiense Alba. White flowering variety. Prices \$1,25 up.
- R. Maximum Great Bay. This handsome variety of broad-leaved Evergreen has large branches of pink and white blossoms which appear in July. It is the noblest of all our natives and is absolutely hardy from Vermont to Georgia. It has the most beautiful foliage of any of the Rhododen-

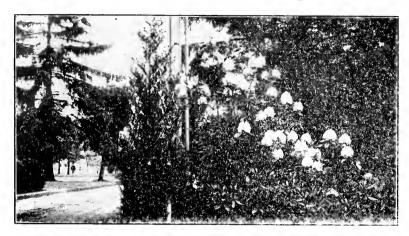
drons, being about twice as large as the foliage of any of the other sorts, and very thick and smooth. It forms a broad, round bush from six to fifteen feet tall. The prices are 75c to \$3.00 up.

#### RHODODENDRONS— CONTINUED.

#### Parson's Hybrid Rhododendrons

(See illustration on cover)

The list of Rhododendrons herewith offered, while not large, has been selected with much care as to the beauty of flowers and hardiness of plants. These are the hardiest of the hybrid sorts. In



planting Rhododendrons it is better to have fewer varieties, but they should be the choicest that can be procured.

#### Prices:

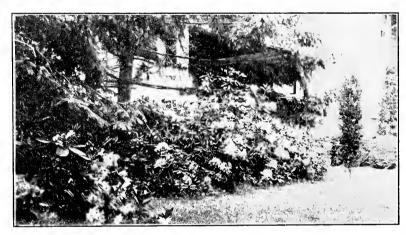
18 to 24 inches high, well budded, \$1.25 each 2 to 2½ feet high, well budded, 2.50 each 3 feet high, well budded, 4.00 up

Abraham Lincoln - - Rosy red
Album Elegans- - - - White
Boule de Neige - - - Dwarf white
Caractacus - - - Red

Catawbiense Album - - Creamy white

Large Specimen of Rhododendron Album Elegans

Catawbiense Grandiflorium Satin lilac Charles Bagley - - -Cherry red Charles Dickens Crimson White Delicatissimum -Edward S. Rand -Fine rose Everestianum Lilac rose White Madam Cavalho Old Port Brownish Lilac Flushing Red Gen. Grant -Scarlet Herbert Parson Purple H. W. Sargent -Carmin red



The effect produced by massing Rhododendrons



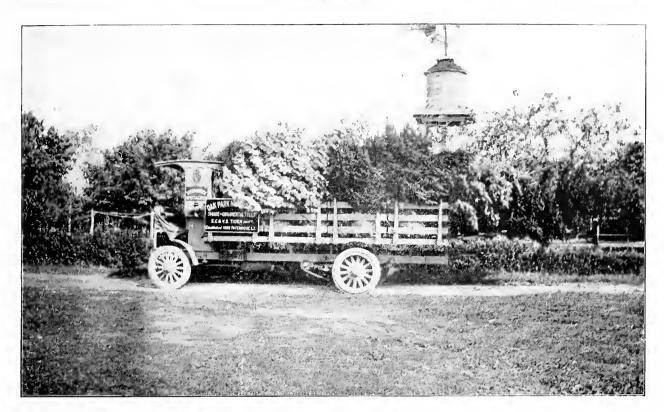
Foundation planting of Rhododendrons at our Main Nursery.

James Bateman - - - - Scarlet red
Lady Armstrong - - - Rose
Lady Grey Egerton - - - Silvery white
Mrs. Milner - - - - Crimson
Parson's Grand. Rubrun - Wine red
Purpureum Elegans - - - Purple
Rosea Elegans - - - Rosy lilac



#### Yucca-Adam's Needle

Y. Filamentosa. The well-known garden Yucca, which blooms toward the close of June. This variety is the best known and most widely planted of all the Yuccas. Prices are 25c to 50c,



The way thousands of our large Specimen Evergreens are delivered

## **CONIFEROUS EVERGREENS**

Evergreens are our specialty, and to grow and sell the best that can be grown is our constant aim. They cannot be fairly valued by height alone, as the shearings frequently given them reduce their height and make them grow into beautiful specimens. It should always be remembered that it is the beauty of form and the root masses that determine the real value of all trees.

We have many fine specimens of Evergreens whose beauty must be seen to be appreciated, and we cannot too strongly urge the fact that buyers should visit our Nurseries and inspect the splendid stock we offer. We desire to remind intending purchasers that besides the recognized value of the Evergreens as specimen trees, the taller ones form perfect backgrounds for showing flowering shrubs.

With Evergreens of moderate growth beautiful effects are produced by planting close together in beds varieties that contrast finely. If those who intend planting Evergreens will confer with us, we can offer valuable suggestions, and may, perhaps be able to give special inducements on certain varieties in quantity. Our trees having recently been transplanted and root pruned, are remarkably well supplied with fibrous roots, which our careful digging and balling preserve in full vigor through shipments. "Originators of the Modern Evergreen Planting."

#### Abies-Fir

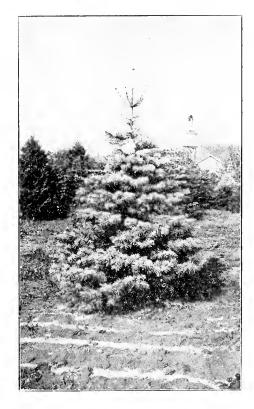
- A. Arizonica—Silver Cork Fir. Medium growng plant, foliage of a bluish cast, hardy and desirable for grouping or single specimens. Prices 75c to \$5.00 up.
- A. Balsamea—American Silver Fir. A regular symmetrical tree, assuming the cone shape when quite young, reaching in height 50 to 80 feet in old age. Leaves dark, lustrous green, lighter beneath. Prices 50c to \$3.00 each.
  - A. Canadensis-Described under Tsuga, page 38.
- A. Cephalonica—Cephalonian Silver Fir. A remarkable fine Grecian species, very broad for its height, quite hardy and vigorous. The leaves are sharp-pointed, silvery and dagger-shaped. Prices \$1.25 to \$5,00 up.

#### CONIFEROUS EVERGREENS CONTINUED



Large Specimens of Concolor and Pectinata ready for delivery





Abíes Concolor as grown at Oak Park Nurseries



Some of our Evergreen Specimens

- A. Concolor—Rocky Mt. Fir. The white fir of the Rocky Mountains is one of the most beautiful species in cultivation. It withstands heat and drought better than any other fir, is very hardy and grows rapidly. Its graceful habit and broad handsome foliage glinting with blue on the upper surface, silvery beneath, make it a rival for the elegant Colorado Blue Spruce. Especially bright when young. Prices \$1.00 to \$25.00 up.
- A. Nordmanniana—Nordmann's Silver Fir. One of the richest Evergreens, forming a dense, dark specimen tree of beautiful proportions, that may be finely contrasted with lighter-foliaged sorts. The foliage is wide, dark and lustrous, with a silvery, sparkling under-surface. Its moderate growth adapts the tree well even to grounds of small extent, but with age it reaches grand size and when fully grown is a most noble and imposing feature on a large lawn. Prices \$1.00 to \$8.00 up.
- A. Pectinata—European Silver Fir. Forms a fine pyramidal of deep green; grows fast, is hardy and holds its color well. Prices 75c to \$6.00 up.
- Λ. Veitchii—Veitch's Silver Fir. A rare sort combining the appearance of the Nordmanniana. Prices 75c to \$7.75 up.

#### CONIFEROUS EVERGREENS CONTINUED

#### Araucaria

A. Imbricata—Chili Pine or Monkey Puzzle. An unusual and remarkable evergreen, rigid dark green foliage, needs slight protection during Winter. Prices \$1.50 to \$5.06.

#### Biota-Chinese Arborvitae

- B. Orientalis—Chinese Arborvitae. From China and Japan. An elegant tree, with torch-like form, and dense, flat light green foliage. Becomes brown in winter. Prices 35c to \$7.50 up.
- B. O. Elegantissima—Rollinson's Golden Arborvitae. A beautiful variety of upright, pyramidal form, with the young foliage tipped with golden yellow which tint is retained throughout the summer, turning bronze in winter. Prices \$1.50 to \$4.00 up.
- B. O. Nana Aurea—Berkman's Arborvitae. One of the best of recent introductions. Does very well near the water and is of good form. Prices 75c to \$1.50.
- B. O. Semper Aurea—Always Golden. Of dwarf habit but of free growth. It retains the golden tint the year round. One of the best golden variegated Evergreens. Prices \$1.00 to \$5.00.
- B. Rosedale Hybrid. This variety is of dwarf habit its foliage being a steel gray. It is planted extensively in the border, where a low growing, symmetrical tree is valuable. Prices 65c to \$1.50.

#### Cedrus--Cedar

- C. Atlantica Glauca—Mt. Atlas Cedar. A most beautiful Evergreen of upright form, open growth and low branched, the glaucous steel-blue foliage entirely covering the branches. Perfectly hardy in Northern Europe, and should thrive where Retinosporas do well. Prices \$1.50 to \$5.00 up.
- C. Atlantica—Mt. Atlas Cedar. Habit of this tree is similar to the above variety excepting its foliage which is of light green. Does well in this climate. Prices \$1.25 to \$4.75 up.
- C. Deciora—Indian Cedar. This variety excels the others when young. Its pyramidal form and graceful, silvery foliage is more abundant than the others. It makes a handsome tree when planted as a single specimen or in the foreground of an Evergreen boundary. Prices 60c to \$3.50 up.
- C. Libani—Cedar of Lebanon. Exceedingly rare and very choice, is a strong grower with wide-spreading branches, foliage of dark green. Prices \$1.50 to \$5.00 up.

#### Cephalotaxus—False Yew

C.Fastigiata—False Yews. This plant is of a much faster growth than the Yews. The foliage being longer and heavier. It is an ideal plant for summer decoration, when planted in tubs and when planted in the ground, will do well with good protection in this location. We recommend these where something different is required. Its growth



Specimen of Cedrus Atlantica Glauca. The photograph was taken just before shipment

where something different is required. Its growth being of a pyramidal form, it is very valuable. Prices 75c to \$5.00 up.

#### Chamaecyparis Thuyopsis

- C. Nutkaensis—(Thuyopsis Borealis)—Nootka sound Cypress, Yellow Cedar. An extra choice pyramidal Evergreen, with curling branches and flexible branchlets drooping at the tips. Leaves glaucous green. Prices \$1.00 to \$4.00 up.
- C. N. Aurea-Golden Nootka Sound Cypress. This plant has the same growth as the one above, excepting that the foliage is of a golden hue. Prices \$1.00 to \$4.00 up.
- C. N. Pendula Weeping Nootka Sound Cypress. This tree, with its weeping, habit is very desirable when it attains a height of ten feet. The foliage is a dark green and is very conspicuous when planted in a mas with other Evergreens. Prices \$1.00 to \$4.00 up.

#### CONIFEROUS EVERGREENS—CONTINUED

#### Cryptomeria

C. Japonica Lobbi—Japanese Cedar. A beautiful type of Evergreen with upright growth, foliage dark green, very hardy and does exceedingly well in this climate. Prices \$1.25 to \$8,00 up.

C. J. L. Compacta Compact Japanese Cypress. This variety is more compact than the above and the foliage is



Exhibit at the Southampton Horticultural Society, 1916

much finer. The habit of growth is upright with a little more spread than Lobbi. It is very valuable for massing. Prices \$1.00 to \$5.00 up.

#### Cupressus—Cypress

C. var. Lawsoniana—Lawson's Cypress, or Triumphe de Boskoop. A very graceful tree, classed with the Evergreen Cypress. Its foliage being of rich blue makes it an ideal tree for planting with other sorts. Easily transplanted and a very rapid grower, Prices \$1.00 to \$8.00 up.

#### Juniperus - Juniper and Cedar

Trees of medium height down to the smallest dwarfs are included in the list here given. Junipers possess remarkable vigor and thrive in bleak, barren situations, in poor, stony soil; in damp ground at the

seashore, in fact almost anywhere. The columnar forms should be used for formal effects, the trailing ones for rocky slopes and sand banks. They are also much used for bedding and grouping.

- J. Chinensis—Chinese Juniper or Cedar. The foliage of this plant is light green, and being of pyramidal habit makes it especially valuable in the winter. Prices 75c to \$250 up.
- J. G. Argentea—Chinese Variegated Juniper. The foliage of this plant is dark green tipped with silver, which gives it an odd appearance and makes it very striking at all times of the year. We have a large quantity of these plants ready now for shipment. Very hardy in this climate. Prices 75c to \$2.50 up.
- J C. Pendula-Chinese Weeping Juniper. This is a weeping form of the Chinensis which is very attractive and appreciated by many. Prices 75c to \$2.50 up.
- J. c. Procumdens Trailing or Prostrate Juniper. This variety is of low, spreading form, the foliage being of

dark green. Its uses are many for the rookery or where a mat is required. It cannot be surpassed for natural effects. Prices 75c to \$2.00 up.

- J. Communis—Common Juniper. A neat, dense, fastigate tree, with foliage of grayish green. Used in formal work. Prices 60c to \$4.00.
- J. C. Oblonga Pendula Common Weeping Juniper. This variety is of upright form with a true weeping habit. Its foliage is of grayish-green hues. Prices \$1.25 to \$4.25 up.
- J. C. Nana Aurea—Douglas's Golden Juniper. A very distinct variety of Juniper. It is of trailing growth with foliage tipped with yellow. Used for bedding and lining borders. Prices 75c to \$2.00 up.
- J. Excelsa Stricta Greek Juniper. A very good variety of the well known cedar. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.25 up.



A block of small Evergreens at our East Patchogue Nursery

Juniperus Hibernica—Irish Juniper. An erect column of dark green, found very effective in general landscape and formal planting. Prices 75c to \$3.00 up.

- J. Japonica.—Japan Juniper. A very good sort, dwarf habit with irregular growth, foliage dark green. Prices 75c to \$3.00 up.
- J. J. Aurea—Golden Japan Juniper. Of moderate growth and spreading habit. The attractive golden-hued foliage is constant throughout summer. Prices 75c to \$2.00 up.
- J. Macrocarpa—J. Neaboriensis. Forms dense, distinct pyramids of short branches. The leaves are short, rigid, glaucous. Makes a handsome specimen tree. Prices 75c to \$2.50 up.

#### JUNIPERUS-Juniper and Cedar-Continued

- J. var. Globosa—Globe Juniper. This is a dwarf variety of the Juniperus Virginiana and makes a handsome plant when it attains a height of about four feet. Being of recent introduction, we can supply only the smaller sizes. Prices \$1.00 to \$1.25.
- J. Prostrata Prostrate Juniper Similar to the Savine Juniper. It is of creeping habit, foliage of light green, used for edging mostly and is very hardy.

  Prices 75c to \$2.25.
- J. Pfitzeriana Pfitzers' Juniper. This variety is of ir egular growth, dark green foliage and very hardy. One of the most desirable varieties for landscape work. Prices 75c to \$4.00 up.
- J. Sabina-Savine Juniper. A thickly branched, low, spreading tree, that rarely reaches ten feet in height. Variable, sometimes procumbent. It is very hardy and thrives on the poorest soils, and can be trained into any shape. The handsome foliage of deep, dark green makes it a favorite for many uses, especially for rock wo k. Prices 60c to \$4.00 up.
- J. S. Fastigiata—The foliage of this variety is like Sabina, but the habit is upright. It is an ideal plant for ornamental work. Prices \$1.00 to \$4.00 up.



Loading Evergreens at the Nursery

- J. Sphaerica—(syn) Chin. Smithii. A good cedar of compact pyramidal form, the foliage being light green. Prices 60c to \$3.00 up.
- J.Tamariscifolia—Tamarix-leaved Juniper. This variety is very distinct, having an exceedingly dark foliage and being half procumbent, makes it a good sort for planting. Can be used in all kinds of landscape work. Prices \$1.50 to \$3.00 up.



Juniperus Virginiana Glauca as grown at the Oak Park Nurseries

- **J. Virginiana**—Red Cedar. Our native Red Cedar can be used ornamentally in a number of ways, thriving well and making a fine appearance in soils or situations where other trees will not grow. Prices 75c to \$10.00 up.
- **J. V. Cannartii** Another of the many pyramidal forms, with closely-set, dark green foliage. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.50 up.
- **J. V. Elegantissima**—Golden Cedar. This is a very attractive variety of Red Cedar, with its golden bronze foliage in winter. Prices \$1.00 to \$4.50 up.
- **J. V. Glauca**—Blue Virginia Cedar. This compact variety, with its rich silvery blue foliage, is very attractive throughout the year. Its growth is like the Virginiana. Prices \$1.00 to \$8.00 up.
- **J. V. Pendula**-Weeping Virginia Cedar. The foliage of this plant is like Virginiana, but of the true weeping type. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.75 up.
- J. V. Schotti—Schotti Juniper. One of the best pyramidal varieties of Cedar. Making rapid growth and its foliage being of dark green makes it valuable for use in borders. We also recommend this variety for grouping or massing with the Red Cedar. Prices 75c to \$5.00 up.
- J. Succica—Swedish Juniper. Of narrow columnar form, with lighter, more bluish foliage than the Irish Juniper. Prices 50c to \$1.50.

#### Libocedrus

L. Decurrens—(syn)Thuya Gigantea—Lobb's Arborvitae. Handsome evergreen of odd appearance. Foliage open, flat and slightly pendula. Prices 50c to \$2.50 up.

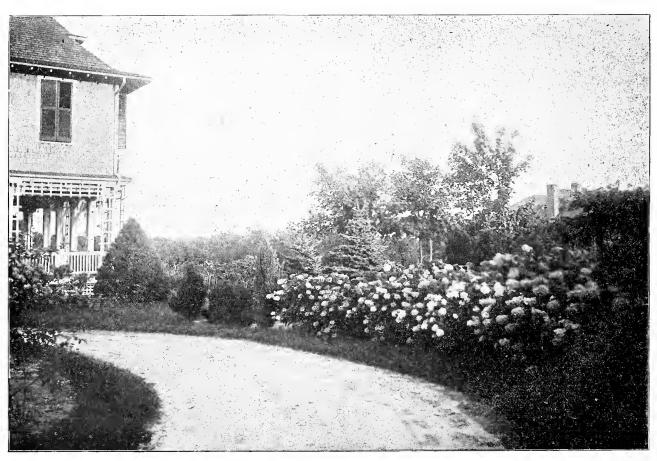


#### CONIFEROUS EVERGREENS CONTINUED

#### Picea-Spruce

Spruces are manifold in their uses, and we can safely recommend the varieties that are listed in this catalog. We carry in stock all of the older introductions and have been adding new varieties each year. For use as windbreaks, boundary plantings, individual specimens and for massing they cannot be excelled.

- P. Alba—White Spruce. One of the very best conifers, especially for cold climates. Compact, upright, long-leaved, retaining its branches to the ground. Varies in color from light green to glaucous blue, good species for growing in tubs, or for making large clumps. Prices 46c to \$8.00 up.
- P. Alcockiana—Alcock's Spruce. A hardy and distinct Japanese species of pyramidal habit. Even when quite young it produces cones that add much to its attractiveness. Leaves are deep green with glaucous white under-surface, creating a most pleasing effect. Prices 75c to \$8.00 up.



Border Planting of Shrubs and Evergreens

- P. Englemanni—Englemann's Spruce. A handsome Colorado species that is exceedingly hardy and fine in every way. Its soft, plumy foliage is of a delicate blush color. Prices 75c to \$4.50 up.
- P. Excelsa—Norway Spruce. The Norway Spruce and its many uses are well known. It is planted for hedges, shelter belts, screens, backgrounds, etc., in large quantities every year. It has a naturally fine gothic form, grows fast, and seems to suit all soils. Prices 40c to \$10.00 up.
- P. Excelsa Barry—Barry's Norway Spruce. Another type of the well known spruce, of Medium growth, conical form, light green foliage. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00 up.
- P. E. Cincinnata. A valuable variety of conical form, fast grower and foliage of light green, somewhat pendula. Prices 50c to \$3.00.

#### PICEA-Spruce-Continued

- P. E. Aurea—Golden Spruce. This is the well known Golden Spruce, its foliage being of a golden color the year round makes it attractive when used in clumps with other varieties. Prices 65c to \$7.00 up.
- P. E. Inverta—Weeping Norway Spruce. Grotesquely pendulous. Attractive for its novelty and unique habit. Prices 75c to \$9.00 up.
- P. E. Cranstoni. A very rapid grower of irregular form. Foliage long and of medium green color. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00.
- P. E. Humilis. A dwarf globe shaped evergreen, foliage light green, short branches and very compact. Ideal for border planting. Prices \$1.50 to \$3.00.
  - P. E. Ohlendorfi-(syn)-Orientalis Pygmea-Oriental Spruce. See Picea Orientalis or Eastern Spruce.
- P. E. Parbiformis. A very excellent variety to use, when the assortment has to be large. Light green foliage. Prices \$2.00 to \$3.00 up.
- P. E. Pyramidalis—Pyramidal Norway Spruce. This variety is of pyramidal habit, its foliage being dark green and long upright branches. Can be used in many plantings where height is required to obtain the desirable effects. Prices \$1.00 to \$6.00 up.
- P. Pungens—The Famous Colorado Blue Spruce. This rich colored Evergreen is from the Rocky Mountains. Hardy in any exposure, of vigorous growth and elegant habit, with broad, plumy branches, often as regularly set in whorls as those of any Araucaria. Its form alone would make it a striking object in any landscape, without its silvery blue sheen. This tint is variable in seedlings, therefore we have trees grafted from the best sage blue specimens that are constant in color, and guarantee them true. Prices \$1.25 to \$10.00 up.
- P. Canadensis—Black Hill Spruce. A fine native tree of our western states; its habit being of compact growth with smooth blackish bark, with dark foliage. Exceptionally hardy. Prices 50c to \$5.00 up.
- P. Pungens Glauca—Colorado Blue Spruce Seedlings. These trees are variable in color, running from light green to steel blue, very hardy, and most always produce perfect shaped specimens. Prices \$1.25 to \$20.00 up.
- P. P. Kosteriana Glauca—Koster's Blue Spruce. As yet this tree is very rare. It would not be possible to describe this splendid variety too strongly. Majestic, beautiful and impressive it at once attracts and compels the deepest admiration from the beholder. It is sage or steel blue in color, rendering it especially deep and rich. It takes first rank as an ornamental of the highest order, and no fine place should be without



Picea Pungeus Glauca in the foreground, and Picea Excelsa Aurea in the background

one or more fine specimens. Our stock of this variety is in good condition for planting, being root pruned and transplanted last season. Prices \$1.25 to \$25.00 up.

- P. K. G. Pendula—Koster's Weeping Blue Spruce. As a choice variety this tree of weeping habit cannot be passed. It is similar to Koster's and its rare beauty and effectiveness must be seen to be estimated properly. Where a weeper is desired as a single specimen, no mistake can be made in the choice of this handsome tree. Prices \$3.00 to \$45.00 up.
- P. Polita—Tiger-Tail Spruce. An exceedingly beautiful variety from Japan. Its thickly set branches are furnished with stiff, sharp leaves of a pleasing shade of deep green. Deserves wide cultivation for ornament, as it is quite distinct. Hardy and choice. Prices \$1.00 to \$8.00 up.

#### PICEA-SPRUCE-CONTINUED

- P. Orientalis—Eastern Spruce. Resembles a fine-leaved Norway Spruce, but is much more elegant. Its form is graceful, and its foliage dark and attractive. Should be cultivated generally. Priees \$1.25 to \$6.00 up.
- P. O. Aurea Spicata—Golden Oriental Spruce. The habit of this plant is the same as the Eastern Spruce, excepting that the upper parts of the foliage is bright yellow in the summer. Prices \$1.25 to \$6.00 up.
- P. Omoriea—(Pancic). Tall rapid grower, foliage medium length, very dark green, does exceedingly well in this climate and is very hardy. We recommend this variety of spruce for many plantings. Prices \$1.25 to \$5.00 up.
  - P. Sitchensis. A very good variety for general planting. Frices \$2.00 to \$4.00 up.

#### Pseudotsuga--The Douglas' Spruces

- P. Douglasi—Douglas Spruee. This variety is a native of our western states, its habit being of upright growth with delicate light green foliage, makes it one of the hardiest and best Evergreens to plant along the Atlantic Coast. Being of rapid growth, they are very desirable planted as single specimens or shelter belts, etc. Prices \$1.00 to \$4.00 up.
- P. D. Glauca Elegans. An excellent grower. Foliage of light color, very hardy and easily transplanted. Prices \$1.50 to \$5.00 up.
  - P. D. Glauea—Douglas Blue Spruce. The description of Douglas Spruce will answer for this one, excepting the color is blue.



Pinus Excelsa ready for shipment

#### Pinus—Pine

The Pines endure a wide range of climate conditions. They are natives of our low-lands and mountain regions, and withstand well the cold bleak wind to which they are exposed. Pines are very ornamental and useful on lawns and public grounds; also fine for grouping as shelter-belts or tall screens. Their usefulness is highly appreciated. We root-prune our Pines annually, so that they develop fine fibrous roots and transplant with very little risk.

- P. Austriaca (Larico) Austrian Pine. The Austrian Pine is one of the best foreign species for this country, its growth, even when young, is so characteristically stout and sturdy. A remarkably robust, hardy, spreading tree of grand size, very dark and massive in effect, and when planted in an appropriate location is distinct and unique. Prices \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.
- P. Cembra-Swiss Stone Pine. This is a handsome and distinct European species of compact conical form, foliage short and silvery. Prices 75c to \$5.00 up.
- P. Excelsa—Bhotan Pine. A large, handsome tree of loosely graceful habit, with needles longer, more silvery and pendu'ous than the White Pine. A grand specimen tree if given room for development Prices \$1.00 to \$6.00 up.
- P. Banksiana (syn) Divaricata—Jack Pine. A very good variety for massing. Prices 40c to \$3.50 up.
- P. Flexilis—Limber Pine. This is one of the fast-growing species and is very desirable for wind-breaks, etc. Growing this for the past two years, we are able to recommend it as being very hardy. The foliage is of a delicate green with medium length needle. Prices 40c to \$3 50 up.
- P. Ponderosa—Bull Pine. A lofty tree from our western coast. Hardy, quick growing, long needles of silvery green. Prices \$1.00 to \$4.50 up.
- P. Resinosa—Red Pine. (Norway Pine). The habit of this plant is very similar to the Austrian Pine, excepting that its needles are shorter and of a stiffer growth. A very hardy and valuable tree. Prices \$1.00 to \$10.00 up.
- P. Rigida—Common Pitch Pine. This is our native pine, which does exceedingly well under cultivation. We recommend this for massing or for attaining a natural effect. He have plants now in the Nursery, that are very dense and have attained a height of 8 feet. Prices \$1.00 to \$7.00 up.
- P. Strobus—White Pine. Tall, stately and most beautiful of all native Pines. This is also among the quickest growing, longest-lived and most generally useful. The needles are long, silvery blue, and plump in effect, the tree grows naturally into symmetrical specimens and makes a most imposing feature on the lawn when grown singly. It is particularly valuable for the foundation of fine backgrounds and shelter-belts for large lawns. A valuable timber tree for even the poorest soils. Prices 50c to \$5.00 up.
- P. Sylvestrus—Scotch Pine. Dense, broadly pyramidal, luxuriant in growth, with strong erect shoots and silvery needles. Prices \$1.00 to \$6.00 up.
- P. Tanyosho—Japanese Table Pine. One of the most valuable sorts, its growth being dwarf in habit, which becomes flat on top. The needles are short and soft, the color being of a very light green. It makes a handsome specimen when planted alone, with room to develop. Prices \$1.25 to \$3.00 up.

#### PINUS-PINE - CONTINUED

P. Mughus—Dwarf Mountain Pine. A unique Alpine species, broader than its height and sometimes almost prostrate, forming a dark dome-shaped bush. Used for planting rocky banks, terrace slopes, small lawns, rockeries, beds and near the sea. Prices 75c to \$3.00 up.



A specimen group of Evergreens consisting of Koster's Blue Spruce Mugho Pine and Sciadopitys Vereitellata

# Podocarpus (Japonica) Koraiana. SEE Cephalotaxus.

# Retinospora—Japanese Cypress

We are now offering in addition to other varieties, a charming group of conifers from Japan. They are unusually attractive because of the brightness and delicacy shown in the tints of

their foliage. They produce exceedingly pretty effects in outdoor grouping, and when grown in tubs or window boxes are highly esteemed for window decoration.

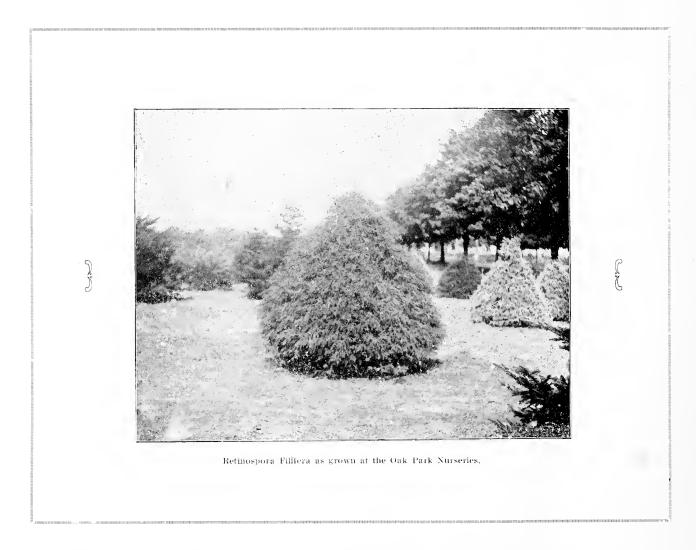
- R. Obtusa Aurea Crippsii Golden Obtusa. This is a neat, compact pyramidal form of the Obtusas, its foliage being of a loose growth with bright yellow hues. A very good plant to use, being of a semi-dwarf habit. Prices \$1.50 to \$5.00 up.
- R. O. Gracilis. A beautiful little tree of good form and habit, being semi-dwarf with rich, dark-green foliage. Prices \$1.25 to \$3.25.
- R.O. Lutea Nova. An excellent plant for the border or evergreen bed. Foliage bright yellow. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.50 up.



Evergreens are as picturesque in Winter as in the Summer

#### RETINOSPORA - Japan Cypress Continued

- R. C. Lycopodicides—Club Moss Cypress. This is a very odd and effective plant. Its foliage being of dark green and so attached to the branches as to look like moss. Where variety is wanted we recommend this plant as being one of the hardiest sorts to use. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00 up.
- R. O. Magnifica. We recommend this variety as one of the best for grouping or bedding. Prices \$1.50 to \$3.25.
- R. O. Pygmea. This plant is of dwarf habit, its foliage being dark green, we recommend it for bedding or for border use. One of the later introductions. Prices \$1.50 to \$2.25.
- R. O. Nana—Dwarf. One of the best and hardiest. Intensely dark, shell-like leaves very uncommon. A most elegant Evergreen. Dwarf habit. Prices \$1.25 to \$2.59 up.
- R. O. Nana Aurea—Golden Dwarf. One of the best and hardiest. This plant is similar to the above, excepting its color, which is bright yellow. Prices \$1.25 to \$2.59 up.
- R. Obtusa—Obtuse leaved Japan Cypress. A much faster grower than the others, with a graceful habit and delicate green foliage. This tree reaches the height of 25 feet. Frices \$1.50 to \$7.50 up.



- R. Filifera—Thread Branched Japan Cypress. Of unique and showy habit, always noticeable. The leading shoot grows upright, the branches are nearly horizontal, with long, drooping tasseled ends. Pyramidal in outline, bright green. Prices \$1.50 to \$10.00 up.
- R. Filifera Aurea—Golden thread branched Japan Cypress. This tree is of loose and open habit, somewhat pendula and is of a golden color. Prices \$1.50 to \$2.50.
- R. Leptoclada—(syn)—Cham. Sphadroidea Andelyensis. Very dwarf variety of old appearance foliage being for the most part on the very extreme ends of the top branches. It takes the globe form very early in life. Prices \$2.00 to \$3.50.
- R. Pisifera. Of more open growth than the Obtusa varieties, with erect branches pendulous at the tips, foliage feathery, light green. Glaucous beneath. Prices 75c to \$7.00 up.
- R. Pisifera Aurea—Golden Pisifera. This tree is of loose and open habit, somewhat pendula and is of a golden color. Prices 75c to \$10.00 up.

#### RETINOSPORA-Japan Cypress - CONTINUED

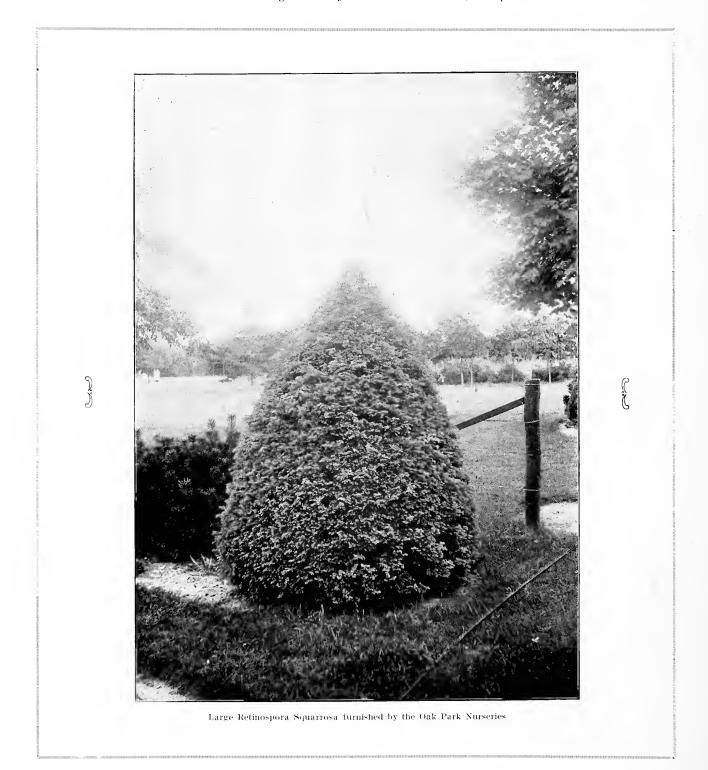
- R. Plumosa—Plume-like Japanese Cypress. Densely conical, with fern-like leaves of upright green, carried on erect plumy branches. Prices 75c to \$10.00 up.
- R. Plumosa Aurea—Golden Plume-like Japanese Cypress. One of the few really golden Evergreens. The color of the young growth contrasts strongly with the darker shade of the older foliage. Striking and useful in many ways. Prices 75c to \$10.00.



- R. Plumosa Argentea—Silver-Tipped Japan Cypress. The young growth on the tips of the branches is cream white, giving the bush a pretty silver-mottled effect. Prices 65c to \$6.00 up.
- R. Plumosa Flavescens—(syn)—Lutescens. This plant is of the pyramidal habit and very compact growth, its foliage being of a bright yellow. It is useful in many plantings. Prices 75c to \$3.50.

#### RETINOSPORA-Japan Cypress-Continued

- R. Squarrosa Veitchii-Veitch's Cypress. A handsome, medium-sized lawn tree of dense growth. The silvery blue is almost white when young, almost violet in winter, and arranged in curious spiral form. Prices 75c to \$15.00 up.
- R. Squarros Sulpherea. This is similar to the variety of Squarrosa, the foliage being denser and turning to a bronze in the winter. We recommend it as a good variety to use. Prices 75c to \$6.50 up.



# Sciadopitys

Sciadopitys Verticellata—Umbrella Tree. A rare Japanese tree; grows slowly to large size, and is both ornamental and interesting at any stage, because of its umbrella-like tufts of dark shining leaves. Prices \$2.50 to \$10.00 up.

#### Taxus-Yew

Choice dwarf Evergreens, densely clothed with small blackish green leaves, fertile specimens brightened in autumn with scarlet berries. They thrive well in almost any soil, endure shade, and are valuable for formal gardens, beds of contrasting Evergreens, etc.

- T. Baccata-English Yew. Grows to a tall dark tree naturally, but can be sheared into any shape and size. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00.
- T. Baccata Adpressa Stricta Erect Yew. An erect-growing plant with slender branches of dark green foliage. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00.
- T. Baccata Aurea Golden English Yew. The growth of this plant is the same as Baccata excepting the foliage, which is of a golden hue. One of the best golden Evergreens. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00.
- T. Baccata Fastigiata-Irish Yew, A very upright grower. Its foliage being a very dark green, the compactness of the plant makes it appear as a column. Prices \$3.00 to \$5,00.
- T. Fructo-Lutea. This is one of the many interesting varieties of the Yews, it being of a somewhat dwarf habit and its foliage of a light yellow makes it very effective. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00.



Collection of Yews at our Branch Office

- T. Baccata Washingtoni Washington's Yew. One of the best varieties of the Yews, foliage being slightly of the golden hue, and, like the others dwarf in habit, is very useful. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00 up.
- T. Baccata Repandens-Spreading Yew. A low spreading Evergreen, with dark green foliage; makes a very attractive border. Prices 90c to \$3.00.
- T. Canadensis-Canadian Yew. A low Evergreen with spreading habit, short dark green foliage. It has small red berries. Prices 75c to \$2.00.
- T. Cuspidata-Japanese Yew. This is the hardiest variety of all the Yews. Branches are somewhat spreading, with a dark green foliage. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00.
- T. Cuspidata Brevifolia—Dwarf Yew. One of the best varieties for planting in a border; its foliage, being of a dark green, is very effective. Prices \$1.25 to \$3.00.

#### Thuya—Arborvitae

The Arborvitaes vary greatly in habit and color. They bear transplanting and pruning well and have many uses, especially in formal gardens. They are also well suited for bedding with other



Thuya Hoveyi as Grown at the Oak Park Nurseries

Evergreens for hedges, screens, shelter belts and house decoration. They are all neat and symmetrical in habit, dense, bushy, with flattened, frondlike leaves.

- T. Occidentalis American Arborvitae. White Cedar. The well-known screen and hedge plant. Will grow even in the wet soils. Prices 75c to \$5.00.
- T. Occidentalis Elegantissima-Excellent variety of pyramidal form, foliage yellow, turning to a very dark bronze in winter. Prices 1.25 to 5.00.
- T. Occidentalis Aurea-George Peabody. A handsome Evergreen with foliage of a good lasting yellow. Prices \$1.25 to \$8.00.
- T. Occidentalis Globosa Globe Arbor-Prices 35c to \$2.00.

vitae. A dense, round Evergreen, with pretty, light green foliage. T. Occidentalis Hoveyi-Hovey's Golden Arborvitae. Is a distinct, compact, hardy American seedling, dense and conical, with a light golden foliage. Prices 80c to \$2.50

THUYA-Arborvitae-Continued

T. Occeidentalis Compacta-Parson's Arborvitae. A good variety of dwarf Evergreen, foliage light green, which is very delicate. Prices 50c to \$1,50.



Thuya Pyramidalis Ice Covered

- T. Occidentalis Pyramidalis-Pyramidal Arborvitae. A most valuable variety on account of its hardy character and form, which is much like the Irish Juniper. The foliage is light green and compact, Effective in planting. Prices 65c to \$3.00.
- T. Occidentalis Plicata (syn) Douglasii Spiralis. An exceptionally good variety of the Arborvitae. Its foliage on the older plant takes the form of spirals. Very interesting and odd when it reaches the height of six feet. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.50.
- T. Occidentalis Species Rivers. A most valuable Evergreen for grouping. A medium grower and very compact. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.50.
- T. Occidentalis Spaethii. This is one of the most interesting dwarf varieties of Arborvitae, its growth and foliage being entirely from any of the other varieties. Being of dwarf habit it is a very interesting plant. Prices 75c to \$1.50.
- T. Rosenthali-Rosenthal's Arborvitae. This being one of the later introductions, we have tested it out and find it is perfectly hardy in this climate. It is a semi-dwarf, taking the pyramidal shape while quite young. The foliage is flat and of a rich green. Prices 75c to \$2,50.
- T. Occidentalis Warreana Siberian Arborvitae. Its low-growing dense form and its beautiful bluish-green foliage gives it a distinct character. It is one of the hardiest and does not die out. 75c to \$1.75.
- T. Occidentalis Warreana Lutescens-Golden Siberian Arborvitae The habit of this plant is the same as the one above, except that the foliage is of a golden hue. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00.

Thuyopsis Borealis. See Chamaecyparis.

T. Dolobrata-Japanese Arborvitae. A very odd Evergreen, with spreading branches. The foliage being exceptionally heavy and more or less open; of a very light green color. We recommend this plant as something different. Prices 75c to \$2.50 up.

Thuyopsis Standishi-Japanese Arborvitae. This plant may be called a semi-weeper. Its branches are a little pendulous; foliage of a light green. We recommend it as being entirely hardy in this climate. Prices 75c to \$2.50 up.

#### Tsuga-Hemlock

A genus of Evergreens frequently classed with Spruces. All of this group are of remarkably graceful habit. Their foliage presents a more light and feathery appearance than that of either Spruces or Firs.

- T. Canadensis-Hemlock Spruce. A graceful, lovely tree, with loose, open growth and yew-like foliage. To keep it in dense form it should be pruned. Prefers moist soil. Prices \$1.00 to \$5.00 up.
- T. Sargenti Pendula-Sargent's Weeping Hemlock. This is a true weeping Hemlock, compact and of spreading habit. The spray-like foliage is light green. Prices \$1.50 to \$5.00 up.

Yucca—See Evergreen Shrubs



# FRUIT DEPARTMENT

As we do not make a specialty of fruits, it will readily be seen why we list only the leading varieties and those which do exceptionally well in this climate. Our aim is to grow straight, clean specimens. For those who wish well balanced trees, grown under a thorough system, we would recommend the following varieties.

#### Standard Apples

.40 Grade A, Four to five feet high, Grade X. Five to six feet high,

Grade XX, Seven to nine feet high, 1,00 Grade XXX, Nine to ten feet high,

#### **Summer Varieties**

Red Astrachan, red, July-August Yellow Transparent, pale yellow, July

Sweet Bough, pale yellow, August

Early Harvest, pale yellow, July-Aug.

#### STANDARD APPLES - CONTINUED

#### Autumn Varieties

Duchess of Oldenburg, red and yellow

g, red and yellow Fall Pippin, yellow, October November Maiden Blush, red and yellow, Sept.-Oct. August September Gravenstein, greenish yellow, Sept.-Oct. Twenty Ounce, Cayuga red streak, Nov.

Winter Varieties

Baldwin, red Ben Davis, dark red Fallawater, green and red King, red

Jonathan, red and yellow Northern Spy, dark crimson R. I. Greening, yellowish green Northwestern Greening, green

Roxbury Russet, green and russet Wine Sap, deep red Wolf River, greenish yellow York Imperial, greenish yellow

Crab Apples

Hyslop, deep crimson

Elberta

Transcendant, yellow

Standard Pears

Grade A, Four to five feet high, \$ .50 Grade X, Five to six feet high,

Grade XX, Seven to nine feet high, Grade XXX, Nine to ten feet high, Seven to nine feet high, \$1.50

Summer Varieties

Bartlett, August-Sept. Clapp's Favorite, August Doyenne D'Ete, Early August

September

Osband's Summer, July Aughst

Grade XX, Seven to nine feet high, 50c

Grade XX, Seven to nine feet high, \$1.50

Buerre Clairggau, October-November Buerre D'Anjou, October-November

Autumn Varieties Kieffer, October-November Seckel, September-October

Sheldon, October

Standard Peaches

Crade A, Five to six feet high, 25c

Beer's Smock, freestone, yellow, September Crawford Early August . . .. Crawford Late September

white

Grade X, Six to seven feet high, 35c Mountain Rose

freestone, white Early August Early September Early October Old Mixon Free . . Stephen's Rare Ripe Late September Stump

Standard Plums

Grade A, Five to six feet high, 60c

Abundance, cherry red, August Botan, purple, August

Bradshaw, violet red, August Green Gage, light green, September Grade X, Six to eight feet high, \$1.00

Japanese Varieties

October Purple, purple, September Burbank, cherry red, September

European Varieties

German Prune, blue, September Lombard, dark red, late August

Yellow Egg, yellow, late August

Wickson, carmine, September

Six to eight feet high,

Rockport, pale amber, July

Yellow Spanish, pale yellow, June

Grade XXX, Eight to nine feet high,

Standard Cherries

Grade A, Four to five feet high, \$ .50 Grade X, Five to six feet high,

Black Eagle, black, July Black Tartarian, black, July Coe's Transparent, pale amber, June

Grade A, Three to four feet high, 40c Champion, pear, September-October

Grade A, Two years, 25c

Delaware, red, early September

Cherry, red

Eldorado

Brighton, red, early September Concord, black-blue, September Campbell's Early, black-blue, Sept.

Standard Quinces

Governor Wood, light red, June

Napoleon, amber, July

Grade X, Four to five feet high, 60c

Orange, apple, September-October

Standard Grapes Grade X, Three years, 35c

Isabella, black, September Moore's Early, black, September Hartford Prolific, black, September Green Mountain, greenish white, Sept.

Grade XX, Six to seven feet high, \$1.00 Rea's Mammoth, apple, Sept. Oct.

Grade XX, Four years, 50c

Niagara, white, September Pocklington, white, September Salem red, September Worden, black, September

Standard Currants

Fay's Prolific, red

Grade A, Two to three years, \$1.50 per dozen Naples, black

Grade XX

White Grape, white

Blackberries

Grade A canes, 75c per dozen

Erie ✓ Rathbun

Raspberries Grade A canes, 60c per dozen

Cumberland (Black Cap), black

Gooseberries

Grade A, Two to three years, \$1.50 per dozen Grade X, Two to three years. 2.50 per dozen

Downing, Grade A, pale green Industry, Grade X, dark red

Cuthbert, red Golden Queen, yellow Miller's Red, red St. Regis, (New Ever Bearing), red

Strawberries—Name Sorts on Application

Vegetable Roots

Asparagus—Conover's Colossal. Two year, per hundred, \$1.00; per thousand \$8.00

Asparagus—Palmetto. Two year, per hundred, \$1.00; per thousand, \$8.00

Rhubarb-Victoria. Strong clumps, 25c each

# ORNAMENTAL GRASSES, HERBACEOUS PAEONIES, HARDY ROSES

#### Ornamental Grasses

Ornamental Grasses are invaluable for intermingling in the herbaceous border, where they impart a light and graceful effect. They will thrive under the trees where the shade is dense, and will also do well out on the lawn as single specimens or in groups. Being moisture-loving they are very suitable for planting by the water-side, where they are very attractive.

Eulalia Gracillima Unvitatta—Green Single Stripe. There is nothing better for decorative purposes and the center of vases. It is not less attractive as a plant on the lawn. It has narrow green leaves and a silvery mid-rib. Prices 25c to 50c.

E. Japonica-Plain Green. This plant has fine, graceful green foliage, with flowers of brownish-violet. Prices

E. Japonica Variegata. This variety has handsomely variegated leaves of green and white, and its stalks terminate with clusters of flower spikes. Prices 25c to 50c.

E. var. Hebrina-Zebra Grass. One of the most beautiful of ornamental grasses; foliage marked crosswise with bands of white and green, making it one of the most striking and distinct plants. Prices 25c to 50c.

Gynerium Argent-Pampas Grass. A very attractive plant and one of beauty. The terminals of the stalks are The leaves are long and slender. Prices 50c to \$1.00. crowned with large silky, silvery plumes.

#### Herbaceous Paeonies

That Paeonies are as fine and effective in their way as Rhododendrons or Roses is now being very generally recognized. They are hardier and more easily cultivated than either of their rivals, and are being used in the same way for bold displays of color. Some of them are finely finished and exquisitely colored. They should be planted in deep, rich soil, well prepared.

Prices—Small divisions, 25c; Medium divisions, 50c; Large divisions, 75c

Andre Lauries Deep, rich red Festiva Maxima -- Ivory white

La Tulipe Pink Louis Van Houtte-Rich dark crimson Marie Lemoine—Sulphur-yellow Rosea Elegans - Lilac-rose

#### Paeonie Officinalis

These Paeonies are very old inhabitants of our gardens and are at the present day, like many other old-fashioned flowers, being used extensively. In partially shaded groves these plants thrive and are happy, while in beds or as single specimens they are very attractive.

Prices: Small divisions, 30c; Medium divisions, 55c; Large divisions, 80c.

Officinalis Multibilis-Alba-Blush white, double

Officinalis Rosea—Rose pink

Officinalis Rubra - Deep Crimson

#### Paeonie Tenuifolia

This is the fern-leaved paeony and a very remarkable plant. It is very valuable for border planting as it is dwarf in habit.

Paeony Tenuifolia Flore Pleno-Double crimson

Prices:-Small divisions, 30c; Medium divisions, 55c; Large divisions, 80c

#### Hardy Roses

The Rose has always held the foremost rank in the list of cultivated plants and has fairly earned the title of Queen of Flowers. We cannot say that we grow every variety, but in justice to ourselves we desire to state that the list we offer embraces all the desirable qualities that any one can justly expect.

Points in Rose Culture—The Rose delights in an open situation, unshaded by trees or buildings. It will do well in an ordinary good soil if enriched with well decomposed manure. Dig the soil thoroughly to the depth of 15 or 18 inches, as the roots penetrate deeply. After the plants have been set out keep the soil loose by frequent stirring to the depth of a couple of inches. An occasional soaking with weak manure water is very beneficial.

Hybrid Perpetual—Grade A, 2 yr., low budded, 30c ea.; \$3.00 doz.

Grade X, 3-4 yr., low budded, 35c ea.; \$4.00 doz.

American Beauty, deep rose Alfred Colomb, carmin crimson Anna de Diesbach, fine carmin Baron de Bonsteton, dark crimson Baron de Rothschild, fine light pink Barbarossa, carmin red Bernard Paul, deep rose Ball of Snow, white Captain Christy, flesh, rose center Captain Hayward, crimson Coquette des Alps, flesh white Coquette des Blanches, white

Doctor Andy, rose crimson Eclair, velvety red Fisher & Holmes, brilliant crimson Frau Karl Druschki, pure white General Jacqueminot, scarlet crimson General Washington, red shaded crimson Glorie de Dyon, fawn with salmon Harrison's Yellow, yellow John Hopper, bright rose Jules Margottin, carmin rose Louis Van Houtte, crimson maroon Mabel Morrison, white

Hybrid Thea Grade A, 2 yr., low budded, 35c each; \$4.00 per doz. General MacArthur, clear red

Mme. Chas. Wood, reddish crimson Mme. Gabriel Luizet, fine satin pink Magna Charta, bright pink Margaret Dickson, white, pale center Mistress John Laing, soft pink Persian Yellow, yellow Paul Neyron, deep rose Prince Camille de Rohan, deep velvety crimson Soleil d'Or, orange yellow Ulrich Brunner, cherry red

Gruss an Teplitz, red Juliet, red and yellow Killarney, rose

Betty, golden yellow Clothilde Soupert, deep velvety crimson
Dutchess of Albany, lilac rose

Grace Darling, creamy white
George Dickson, dark red

#### HARDY ROSES-Hybrid Thea-Continued

Killarnev white, white La France, silvery rose La Detroit bright, pink Liberty. velvety crimson Lyon Rose, fine salmon

Mme. Caroline Testout, satiny rose Melaine Soupert, golden yellow Mme. Ravery, orange yellow Maman Cochet, pink Maman Cochet, white

Mrs. Arthur Munt, white Mrs. Aron Ward, orange yellow My Maryland, rose color Sunburst, coppery yellow

Thea-Grade A, 2-yr., low budded, 35c. each, \$4.00 per dozen. Lady Hillingdon, yellow

Maman Cochet, pink

Maman Cochet, white

American Pillar, (single) red Aglaia (cluster), yellow Baltimore Belle, white Crimson Rambler, red Dorothy Perkins, pink

Dorothy Perkins, white Hiawatha, red Flower of Fairfield, crimson scarlet Lady Gay, rose Newport Fairy, light rose

Hardy Climbing Roses Grade A, 2-yr. 25c each, \$3.00 per dozen. Grade X, 3-4 yr., 35c each, \$4.00 per dozen. Philadelphia Rambler, red Seven Sisters, rose Tausenschon, rose Vielchenblau, blue

Hardy Dwarf Rambiers—Grade A, 2-yr., low budded, 25c each, \$3.00 per dozen; Grade X, 2-3 yr., low budded, 35c each, \$4.00 per dozen

Katharine Zeimet, white

Maman Levavasseur, crimson

Mme. Norvert Levavasseur, pink



# HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS

Of all the many plants that are grown for ornamental use we cannot think of a single one that has gained more favor than the Old Fashioned Hardy Flower. When we stop and think for a moment we can readily see why this is a fact, for every day throughout the season there is something new to be found in the Hardy Perennial Garden. Early in the month of April, when the weather is still cold,

we find some of the early varieties sending forth their flowers. From the very beginning and up to the late fall we can always find a profusion of blooms, the very late varieties being stopped only by the severe cold weather.

To have an attractive garden one must first consider how many plants can be used, and then care should be taken in selecting the varieties, as a few well blended plants will produce pleasing effects. The soil should be rich, and it is well to use a little wellrotted manure not too near the surface, cultivating frequently. As the plants need little protection in winter we suggest they be covered with straw or salt hay, using very little manure.

In the following list we give both the common and botanical name, the letters "s" or "sh" appearing after each; "s" meaning that the plant requires sunshine, and "sh" that it will grow in a partially shaded place.

Description of any of these plants sent on request. Owing to the steady



Walk Bordered with Hardy Perennials

increase in new varieties we have many not listed, and will gladly send supplementary list on application. Prices-Strong Clumps, 15c each, \$12.00 per hundred

Achillea—Milfoil or Yarrow Filipendula (Noble Yarrow), June-Sept. Yellow s

Ptarmica fl. pl. Boule de Neige (Ball of Snow) July-Aug. White s Ptarmica fl.pl. (The Pearl) July-Aug.

Anemone—Japanese Windflower

Japonica Alba Sept,-Oct. White s Japonica Rubra Rosy red s Queen Charlotte Silvery rose s Japonica Whirlwind Snowy white s Anthemis—Marguerite

Tincforia June-Oct. Yellow s

Aquilega—Columbine

Chrysantha June Yellow s Chrysantha Alba White s Coerulea (Rocky Mountain Columbine Blue s Blue and white s Helenea Violet Blue s Vulgaris

#### HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS-CONTINUED

#### Armeria—Thrift or Sea Pink

Maritima Splendens June-Aug. Pink s

#### Bocconia—Plume Poppy

Cordata July-Aug. White s

#### Campanula—Bell Flower

Medium, Canterbury Bell May-June Rlue s White s Rose s Calycanthema, Cup and

Saucer June-July Blue s

#### Centurea—Hardhead or Knapweed

Montana March-April Violet blue s

#### Chrysanthemum-Shasta Daisy

Alaska, 25c each June-Oct. Autumn Glow Oct.-Nov. Crimson s Indian Red s Golden Queen Yellow s " Old Homestead Pink s Victory White

#### Convallaria – Lily of the Valley

Majalis May White s or sh

#### Coreopsis – Tickseed

Lanceolata Grandlflora June-Sept. Yellow s Rosea Aug.-Sept Pale Pink s

#### Delphinum-Larkspur

Chinese June-Sept. Blue s Chinese Alba White s Formosum Blue and white s

#### Dianthus-Sweet William

Barbatus, Newport pink June Pink s Scarlet Deep scarlet White s

#### Dianthus Plumarius—Hardy Garden Pink

May-June Her Majesty White s Delicata Rose s

#### Dielytra—Bleeding Heart—Seal Flower

Spectabilis May-June Pink s or sh

#### Digitalis—Foxglove

Pale yellow s or sh Ambigua June-July Gloxinaeflora Mixed s or sh

# Funkia—Plantain or Day Lily

Undalata, Media Picta

Variegata July-Aug. Lilac s or sh Excellent border plant

Subcordata Grandiflora July-Aug. White s or sh Sieboldiana (Glauca) Blue s or sh

#### Gailardia—Blanket Flower

Gailardia Grandiflora

Maxima June-Oct. Red-brown s

#### Gypsophila—Baby's Breath

July-Sept. Paniculata White s

#### Helianthus-Hardy Sunflower

Oct.-Nov. Maximilianus Golden vellow s

#### Hemerocallis-Yellow Day Lily

Dumortieri June Yellow s or sh Lemon yellows or sh Flava (Lemon Lily) June-July Kwanso fl pl July-Aug. Deep orange sor sh

#### Hibiseus—Marshmallow

July-Sept. Pink s Moscheutos Crimson Eye White s

#### Hollyhocks—Alleghany (Double Flowering)

June-July Maroon Maroon s Red Red s 44 Rose Rose s " White s White .. Yellow Yellow s Newport Pink Pink

#### Iberis—Candytuft

May-June White s Sembervirens

#### Iris Germanica—Fleur-de-lis

Delicata May Light purple and yellow s Double yellow s May General Gypsy Queen Light Chocolate s 44 Light blue s H. Cramer Mrs. C. Wheeler " Yellow and blue s Honorabilis Yellow and brown s

#### Iris-Kaepferi—Japanese Iris

Dark purple June Paragon Blue s Siberian Orien White s Venus

#### Lychnis-Lamp Flower-Ragged Robin

Chalcedonica June-July Orange scarlet s June-Sept. White s Vespertina Viscaris Splendens June-July Bright crimson s

#### Myosotis-Forget-me-not

Palustris Semperflorens April-Oct. Sky-blue s or sh

# Papaver-Nudicaule—Iceland Poppy

Iceland Poppy April-Sept. Mixed color s

#### Papaver Orientale—Oriental Poppy

Perry's White 50c May-June 25c Scarlet s Goliath Saimon rose s Mrs. Perry 25c

## Platycodon—Chinese Bellflower

July-Sept. Deep blue s Grandiflorum White s

#### Plumbago—Seed Wort

Aug.-Sept. Deep blue s Larpentae

#### Pinula-Primrose

April Yellow s Veris

# Pachysandre—Japanese Spurge

# Pentstemon-Bread Tongue

Terminalis, May-June, White S or Sh

Digatalis, June-July, White S

# Physostegia—False Dragon Head

Virginica Alba, July-September, White S

# Phlox-Various Hardy Species

Divaricata Canaddensis, April-May, Lavender S Divaricata Alba Grand, April-May, White S Divaricata Violet Queen, April-May, Deep Violet S Champs Elysee, July-October, Rosy Magenta S Jeanne D'Arc, July-October, Pure White S Mrs. Jenkins, July-October, Pure White S Mrs. Lingard. May-June, White, Lilac Eye S General Von Heutz, July-August, Salmon Red S Herculese, June-October, Rosy Lilac S General Chanzey, July-October, Rosy Lilac S Rhynstrom, July-October, Carmin Rose S Von Hochberg, Juiy-October, Crimson Purple S Hector, July-Octobor, Fine Pink S Pantheon, Carmin Rose, S Richard Wallace, July-October, Weite, Pink Eye S Coquelicot, July-October. Orange Scarlet S Eclaireur, July-October, Rosy Magenta S The Queen, July-October, Pure White S Tragedie, 20c, July-October, Crimson S Siebold, July-October, Pure Scarlet S

Pacha, July-October, Fine Pink S

# Pyrethrum—Daisy, Fever Few

Aphrodite, August, Pure White S Hybridum var. Roseum, Aug., Deep Pink, S Uglinosum, August, White and Yellow S

# Rudbeckia-Cornflower

Laciniata *fl pl* (Golden Glow), July-September, Yellow, S
 Purpurea, July-October, Reddish purple S

## Salvia-Meadow Sage

Azurea, August-September, Sky-blue S Greggii, June-Octooer, Carmin S

#### Sedum—Stone Crop

Arre, May-June, Yellow S or Sh Album, July-August, White, S or Sh Spectabile, August-September, Rose, S or Sh Kamchaticum, June, Yellow, S or Sh

# Spirea —

#### Meadow Sweet, Goats Beard

Aruncus, June-July, White, S or Sh Filipendula fl pl, June-July, White, S or Sh Palmata, June,-July, Crimson purple, S or Sh

#### Statice—Great Sea Lavender

Latifolia, June-September, Purpleish blue, S

#### Stokesia—Cornflower Aster

Cyanea, June-September, Lavender blue, S Cyanea Alba, June-September, Pure white, S Uvaria Grandifloria, Sept.-Oct. Ochre red, S



Shrubs and Perennials used together make pretty plantings for Summer decorations

# Tritoma-Red Hot Poker, Flame Flower or Torch Lily

Pfitzerii, August-October, Orange scarlet, S Tricolor, Avgust-October, Red, Yellow and White, S Uvaria Grandiflora, September-OctoberOchre red, S

#### Trollius—Globe Flower

Caucasicus, May-July, Deep orange, S or Sh

Europeus, May July, Bright yellow, S or Sh

#### Veronica—Speedwell

Spicata, June-July, Blue, S

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